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# Part-time courses for adults

## 2023-24



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# Welcome

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to Cardiff University's programme of part-time courses for adult learners. We offer a wide range of subjects to study at a variety of levels. We also provide Pathways to a Degree, a part-time route to undergraduate study at Cardiff University. Whatever the reason for choosing to study with us, you can expect to be stimulated, challenged and, on most courses, gain credits toward a qualification.

We are due to change location from Senghennydd Road to 50-51 Park Place this September, so please check the venue for your course prior to the start date. At the same time, our name will change to Lifelong Learning, which we feel reflects better the opportunities we provide.

Best wishes,

**Dr Zbig Sobiesierski**  
Director, Lifelong Learning



# Qualifications

**Prove your potential by gaining qualifications, enhance your studies, improve your CV and realise your personal ambitions.**

What qualifications can you gain with us?

- ▶ **Certificate of Continuing Education**  
With 60 credits at Level 4 or Level 5 within one subject area
- ▶ **Certificate of Higher Education**  
With 120 credits at Level 4 or Level 5
- ▶ **Diploma of Higher Education**  
With 120 credits at Level 5 completed in pre-defined 60 credit study blocks. Subjects currently available: Computing, French, German, Italian and Spanish.
- ▶ **International language qualifications**  
such as DELF-DALF, the DELE, Goethe Zertifikat, CILS, JLPT and HSK

# Study for free

**Have you always wanted to study at university but never had the opportunity?**

If you are a carer, care leaver, have a disability, receive DWP benefits, currently seeking a job, are black or minority ethnic, your parents did not study at university or you live in an area where traditionally few people access university, you could be eligible for a fee waiver. More information can be found on our website.

# Pathways to a degree

- Pathways are designed for those with life experience who wish to study an undergraduate degree at Cardiff University. We welcome applications from students who may have been away from formal education for several years. Reasons to study on a Pathway include:
- ▶ Pathways prepare you to study at degree level and you will be fully supported when you are ready to apply.
  - ▶ Courses are taught part-time in the evening or at weekends.
  - ▶ Classes are small, friendly and supportive.
  - ▶ You will receive one-to-one advice from your tutor and Coordinating Lecturer.
  - ▶ Financial support may be available to help with course fees.

- We offer the following subjects:**
- ▶ Business Management, Marketing, and Accounting (page 4)
  - ▶ Chinese, Japanese, Portuguese (page 43)
  - ▶ English Language, English Literature, Creative Writing, and Philosophy (page 14)
  - ▶ Healthcare (page 58)
  - ▶ History, Archaeology, and Religion (page 23)
  - ▶ International Relations and Politics (page 49)
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## Project Management

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Dr Jo Smedley**

This course provides a good introduction to those skills needed for successful project management. This is an area of study and application which is increasingly popular and is useful in all aspects of employment and life management. **This course is extremely popular, please pre-enrol.**

**10 weekly meetings**

Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4

**BAM23A5264A****10 weekly meetings**

Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 31 January 2024

This course will be taught online.

10 Credits, Level 4

**BAM23A5264B****10 weekly meetings**

Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 17 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4

**BAM23A5264C**

## Technology and the Digital Age

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The course provides students with an understanding of digital marketing with a focus on Business. Students will examine contemporary strategies and concepts that underpin or contribute to Business digital marketing practice. Also, students will focus on the specific digital marketing tools that are available to organisations to communicate with their external and internal audiences.

**10 weekly meetings**

Wednesdays from 16:00 to 18:00  
Starting 17 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4

**BAM23A5151A**

## Pathways to a degree in

## Business Management, Marketing, and Accounting

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[www.cardiff.ac.uk/part-time-courses-for-adults/pathways-to-a-degree](http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/part-time-courses-for-adults/pathways-to-a-degree)


We offer a pathway which will allow you to study towards these degrees at Cardiff University:

► **Business Management (N201)**

► **Marketing (NN25)**

► **Accounting (N400)**

You need to have a grade B/6 in Mathematics GCSE for your degree application to be considered by Cardiff Business School.

## How it works

Core module  
People in  
Organisations  
20 credits

+

4 x optional  
modules 10  
credits each

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Pathway to  
Business  
Management,  
Marketing, and  
Accounting  
60 credits

## People in Organisations



Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

**Jemma Cox**

The course provides students with an introduction to the key themes, concepts and theories relating to the study of the management of people in organisations. Particular attention is paid to organisations as the nodal points of human interaction within the business world, focusing on both the social and the psychological aspects of these relations. **The People in Organisations** module is a 20 credit module on the **Pathway to Business Management**.

**12 weekly meetings**

Wednesdays from 18:30 to 21:00  
plus 2 Saturday day schools  
Starting 17 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**BAM23A4920A**

## Essential Leadership Skills



Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Jemma Cox**

This comprehensive course is highly interactive, and provides excellent coverage of the essential knowledge, skills and techniques needed for success as a manager. The course is designed for students looking to become managers or supervisors but with no formal management training. The course focuses on flexibility and the ability to work in a UK, European and global environment. This course is taught through a mix of online learning and classroom-based learning.

**5 fortnightly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 30 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
plus 10 online hours  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**BAM23A5176A**



## Contract Law



Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Jemma Cox**

This course examines the creation of legally binding contracts and how a contract works in practice. Throughout the course, students will explore the elements that make up a legally valid contract; remedies available when a contractual obligation is breached, different types of misrepresentation and unfair contract terms. Students will reflect upon how these issues effect the parties to the contract. This course will be of interest to anyone who wants to improve their understanding about the contracts they enter into, whether that be in their personal life or in a work context.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4  
**LAW23A4509A**



## Essential Management Skills



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**5 fortnightly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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plus 10 online hours  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**BAM23A4924A**





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Starting 17 April 2024

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## Project Management



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Starting 4 October 2023

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10 Credits, Level 4  
**BAM23A5264A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 31 January 2024

This course will be taught online.

10 Credits, Level 4  
**BAM23A5264B**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 17 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**BAM23A5264C**

## Contemporary Issues in Europe



Fee **£249.00** (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Roel Van Der Velde

This course casts a critical eye at contemporary Europe. In ten weeks, this module takes a view at Europe's current state of affairs, actors and environment. By discussing 9 major themes it offers a broad stock-taking of post-Cold War Europe, its people and its institutions, and its environment. This is a 10 credit module on the Pathway to a degree in International Relations and Politics. It is also open to all as a stand-alone course.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 29 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PLT23A5483A**

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# Computer Studies

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## Python Programming

Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Dr Mike Evans

An introduction to programming in the Python scripting language, which is ideal if you already have some knowledge of computer programming. Topics covered include an introduction to Python, creating and executing Python scripts, built-in object types such as numbers, strings, lists and dictionaries, user defined functions, files, exception handling, built-in tools and keyed database management. A mix of lectures and practical sessions.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 2 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A5337A**

**12 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 29 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A5337B**

## Web Development using HTML and CSS

Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Huw Davies

Learn how to build a website using HTML (Hyper Text Markup Language), CSS (Cascading Style Sheets) and jQuery (Javascript). This is a HTML and CSS coding course and all coursework will be coded by hand without the use of any drag/drop functionality, or tools such as DreamWeaver and WordPress. Minimal jQuery coding will be covered as pre-built jQuery components such as sliders, accordions, drop-down menus and slideshows will be used. Course content includes adding headers, text, links, images, tables, lists, menus, Google maps, YouTube videos and forms, plus an introduction to Responsive Web Design and the principles of SEO (Search Engine Optimisation). No prior knowledge of HTML, CSS or jQuery is required.

**11 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**COM23A4867A**

**11 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 18:00 to 21:00  
Starting 22 April 2024  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**COM23A4867B**

## C Programming

Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Dr Mike Evans

An introduction to C programming. Topics covered include data types, arithmetic operators, comparison operators, use of conditional and iterative control statements, formatting of output, use of functions from the C library, creation of user defined functions, introduction to pointers, introduction to arrays, accessing arrays using both subscripts and pointers, use of standard input/output library functions, use of text files, use of C pre-processor directives and manipulation of data structures. No previous experience of programming required.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A3340A**

## Java I

Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Dr Mike Evans

An introduction to JAVA programming. Topics covered include an introduction to classes and objects, arithmetic operators, use of methods of the Math class, comparison operators and use of if statement, use of while, do and for loops, creation of simple drawing frames, keyboard input and exception handling, use of methods of the String and Character classes, text file input, pattern matching, accessor and mutator methods, static variables and static methods and, finally, arrays. A mix of lectures and practical sessions.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A3337A**





## Windows Powershell Programming

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Dr Mike Evans

Windows PowerShell allows a user to create custom scripts similar to those available in Linux for many years. Topics covered on this course include an introduction to MS-DOS commands, redirection of input and output, piping, creating and scheduling MS-DOS batch files, invoking and exiting PowerShell and basic PowerShell cmdlets, variables, operators, use of mathematical functions, format and use of strings and metacharacters, and much more.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A5094A**

## PHP1 - PHP Scripting for the Web

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Christopher Maggs

The fundamentals of PHP scripting in a web environment to produce dynamic web pages. Topics include conditional logic, form validation, file handling and manipulation of external data sources (XML). This course assumes knowledge of the topics covered in **Web Development with HTML and CSS**, or prior understanding of HTML, and feeds directly into **PHP2 - Using MySQL with PHP for the Web**.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 17 January 2024

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20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A3599A**

## PHP2 - Using MySQL with PHP for the Web

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Christopher Maggs

The fundamentals of designing a relational database using MySQL, and the interface between the MySQL server and the PHP scripting engine. Learn how to design and build database tables and use them to produce dynamic website applications. This course assumes knowledge of the topics covered in the **PHP1 - PHP scripting for the Web**, or an understanding of the basic constructs of PHP, and leads onto **PHP3 - PHP Web Application Development**.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 17 April 2024

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20 Credits, Level 5  
**COM23A3598A**



## C++ Programming

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Dr Mike Evans

An introduction to C++ programming. Topics covered include arithmetic operators, simple input and output, conditional and iterative control statements, formatting of output, creation of user defined functions, introduction to pointers, arrays, classes and objects, class variables, constructors and functions, using classes containing static functions and static variables introduction to inheritance by creating a derived class from a base class, inherited and overridden functions and, finally, accessing text files.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 30 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
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20 Credits, Level 5

**COM23A2652A**

## Advanced Python Programming

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Dr Mike Evans

Builds on the concepts introduced in **Python Programming**. Topics covered include reading data from a file into an array, using Python to analyse a Microsoft spreadsheet, sorting data using multiple keys, introduction to Python classes and inheritance, introduction to Graphical User Interfaces (GUIs), systems programming applications using Python scripts and, finally, network programming using both UDP and TCP protocols. A mix of lectures and practical sessions.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 21:00  
plus 1 Saturday day school  
Starting 1 February 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 5

**COM23A5395A**

# Humanities

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## Creative Writing

## General and Introductory Writing Courses

### Exploring Creative Writing

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Gemma Scammell

Are you intrigued by creative writing but not sure how to go about it? Does the blank page intimidate you? This course offers an introduction to the main techniques of writing creatively and will enable you to develop your ideas in a

friendly and supportive environment. Various forms of writing will be examined, including fiction and poetry, and work will be shared and discussed. Beginners and more experienced writers are very welcome!

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 27 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5429A**

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## Continuing to Write

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Rachel Smith

This course is a continuation of **'Starting to Write'** and encourages students to further develop the skills they have established in the earlier course. Students who have not studied **'Starting to Write'** who are keen to explore their writing skills further are very welcome to join, too.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4

**CRW23A5464A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 7 May 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4

**CRW23A5464B**

## Writing without limits

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Rachel Smith

Designed for anyone who has completed one of our introductory writing courses, such as **Starting to Write** and **Continuing to Write**, or for those who simply want to improve their writing skills further, this course provides the opportunity to learn more about the craft and gain more confidence in writing skills.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 15 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4

**CRW23A5461A**





Creative Writing:  
Starting to Write

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Rachel Smith

Is writing something that feels a little terrifying, like a leap into the unknown? Do you wish you could start writing that novel, memoir, or a something shorter? This course will introduce you to some of the most important skills in a creative writer's toolbox: imagination, confidence and perseverance. By the end of the course, you will have made the leap and started to write!

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 16 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5363A

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 9 May 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5363B



Popular Genres

Writing for Children

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Tutor to be confirmed

Successful children's literature is a diverse and constantly changing field within the publishing world. But how do adults write for children and what do children even like reading? Taught by a published children's author, Writing for Children is a practical creative writing course that gives students the tools to write with confidence.

10 weekly meetings  
Saturdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 7 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5358A



Flash Fiction

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Tutor to be confirmed

When is a short story so short that it becomes a different type of story? This practical creative writing course considers the burgeoning genre of flash fiction, exploring the spectrum of brief narratives, and provides an overview of publishing opportunities and practical tips for magazine and competition submissions.

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5274A

Writing Romance

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Tutor to be confirmed

While exploring love stories and emotionally satisfying endings, contemporary romance is often undervalued in genre fiction. On this module, you will examine a range of different types of romance and their contexts, while also exploring different styles and modes in supportive workshops.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5533A

Further Adventures in  
Science Fiction and  
Fantasy

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Dr Gemma Scammell

Building on the key concepts explored in Writing Science Fiction and Fantasy, this course will further develop students' understanding of some of the most influential science fiction (SF) and fantasy writers to date. Authors discussed will include Terry Pratchett, J. R. R. Tolkien, Douglas Adams, Octavia Butler, Aldous Huxley, Ursula Le Guin and N. K. Jemisin.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 17:30 to 19:30  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5531A

Novel Writing Workshop

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Lynne Barrett-Lee

Guided by a professional author, this is a course for anyone who has a book currently in them that they'd prefer to see sitting in a bookshop. What are the components that make a novel unputdownable? How can you ensure that your readers are enthralled? Looking at all genres of contemporary full-length fiction, this course will take you right through the novel-writing process, as well as offering guidance in the all-important art of attracting an agent and/or publisher.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 17 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A4674A



Creative Nonfiction

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Tutor to be confirmed

Sometimes referred to as the "fourth genre", alongside poetry, drama and fiction, creative nonfiction occupies a space in which telling the truth and deploying literary language are equally important. The course will explore speculative nonfiction, the visual essay, memoir, diary, travel writing, food writing, literary journalism, narrative history, and the personal essay.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 17 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5537A

People and Places

Writing the Domestic

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Briony Goffin

Taking the world of home, family and community as inspiration for writing, this course offers an intimate glimpse into the spaces we live and the spaces we grow; the stories we inherit and the stories we pass down; our rituals and routines; minutiae and milestones; rifts and reunions; the public and the personal.

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 26 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5465A

There's No Place Like  
Home: Writing the  
Domestic 2

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Briony Goffin

Real families are messy. Real homes hold secrets. Every community has its heroes, its villains, and its eccentrics. This much requested follow-on course to Writing the Domestic, will take us on a deeper dive into places we live, the spaces we share, and the relationships that evolve there.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5535A

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 16 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5535B

Writing Journeys

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

Briony Goffin

This course takes the idea of the journey as its central motif. Via a mix of travel writing and memoir, we will explore and depict the experience of leaving and arriving, retracing and returning, maps and navigation, getting lost and getting found, making discoveries, seeking alternative routes, accruing travel companions, surmounting obstacles, and learning lessons.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 18 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5536A

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 7 May 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CRW23A5536B

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## Art and Ekphrasis: Creative Writing and the Modern Museum

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Tutor to be confirmed

"Ekphrasis" is a term that refers to the literary response to, or representation of, a work of art and is a literary mode with a long history. Made famous by John Keats' Ode to a Grecian Urn, this mode of creativity provides endless opportunities for inspiration.

10 weekly meetings  
Fridays from 11:00 to 13:00  
Starting 19 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5534A**

## Building Characters: People Watching 2

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Briony Goffin

The new course provides opportunity to return to the infinitely fascinating and complex subject of people as a starting place for writing stories. Via a combination of imagination and lived experience, we will seek to create a cast of original characters that are at once familiar and extraordinary.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 9 May 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5538A**

## Writing Cardiff: Inspiration and the City

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Tutor to be confirmed

This module is based partly in the classroom and based partly around visiting various sites in Cardiff, including Bute Park, Cardiff Bay and the museum. Students will consider the role of cityscape, art, national identity, and nature as creative writing prompts, while exploring the role of literature in shaping the city's history.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 9 May 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A4081A**



## Writing for Wellbeing

### Memoir and Memory

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Tutor to be confirmed

What is the relationship between memoir and memory? How is memoir different to other genres, such as life writing or autobiography? This course invites you to draw upon memories to write about touchstone moments and turning points in a safe and supportive workshop environment.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 27 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5530A**

## Writing for Wellbeing: Intensive Summer School

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Joanne Meek

Studied over five day-schools, this course will introduce you to underpinning theories about why and how writing can be useful for wellbeing. This course is suitable for all with an interest in the topic, regardless of previous writing experience, but may also be useful for professional contexts (such as counselling and healthcare).

5 meetings  
10:00 to 15:00  
Starting Monday 10 June 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5532A**

## Scriptwriting

### Writing Audio Drama

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Rachel Smith

How can you create suspense with just the sound of a voice? How can you build character through the nuances of dialogue? This course introduces students to the fundamental skills needed to write for audio, whether in the form of radio plays, audio theatre, or fiction podcasts.

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 26 September 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5460A**

## Advanced Short Film Workshop

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Rachel Smith

Short film is one of the most dynamic and compelling modes of storytelling in modern culture. This module will help students develop their scriptwriting skills at a more advanced level, exploring both the craft itself and professional opportunities. Some prior learning experience is required – please see website for details.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 27 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 5  
**CRW23A5540A**

## Writing for Stage and Screen

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Rachel Smith

Are you curious about writing for the stage or screen? Would you like to learn the tools to write your own script? Taught by an experienced and award-winning writer and director, you'll have the opportunity to explore how to write short film and short play scripts with confidence.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 24 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5462A**

10 weekly meetings  
Fridays from 11:00 to 13:00  
Starting 10 May 2024

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50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5462B**

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## Advanced and Intensive Courses

### Advanced Novel Writing

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Tutor to be confirmed

Focusing on drafting, editing, and structuring, this course is for students who have some previous experience of novel writing (perhaps through a previous course), who wish to further develop their fiction writing skills in a supportive and reflective group setting. Not suitable for complete beginners – please see website for further details.

10 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 September 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 5  
**CRW23A5541A**



## Advanced Short Film Workshop

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Rachel Smith

Short film is one of the most dynamic and compelling modes of storytelling in modern culture. This module will help students develop their scriptwriting skills at a more advanced level, exploring both the craft itself and professional opportunities. Some prior learning experience is required – please see website for details.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 27 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 5  
**CRW23A5540A**

## Creative Writing Intensive Masterclass

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Lifelong Learning Tutor Team

This masterclass provides the opportunity to work with published writers and expert practitioners who will encourage you not to just start writing but to keep writing. You'll try new techniques and become expert at the more familiar. No previous experience is required; however, more experienced writers are very welcome to enrol – all levels will be accommodated.

Daily from 10:00 to 15:00  
Monday 20 May to Friday 24 May  
2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5362A**





## Pathways to a degree in

# English Language, English Literature, Creative Writing, and Philosophy

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We offer an Inside Narratives pathway which will allow you to study towards these degrees at Cardiff University:

- ▶ **English Literature**
- ▶ **English Literature and Creative Writing**
- ▶ **English Language**
- ▶ **English Language and Literature**
- ▶ **Philosophy**

There are no formal entry requirements. Once you have successfully completed an Inside Narratives pathway, you are guaranteed an interview at Cardiff University. Should you progress on to a degree programme, you will be eligible for 'advanced standing' of 60 credits – this means that these 60 credits will count towards the first year of your degree.



## How the Pathway works

Modules listed page 15-16.

**Inside Narratives** is made up of **60 credits**.  
Each module is worth **10 Credits**.

To study a particular degree subject after the Pathway, you must study the appropriate core module. All the Inside Narratives core modules have the word '**Inside**' in the title.

If you want to apply for the degree in English Literature and Creative Writing, pick **Inside Literature** and **Inside Creative Writing**.

If you're not sure which degree you'd like to do after the Pathway, make sure you pick a range of **core** and **optional** Pathway modules that you find interesting, totalling **60 credits**.

If you want, you can pick **ONE** suitable **10 credit module** from the main prospectus instead of a Pathway module.

## Core modules

### Inside Creative Writing



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Emily Blewitt

What is the relationship between writers and writing? How can reading shape a writer's craft? Why is critical reflection important? This practical module introduces students to some of the main genres within the discipline, including the short story, poetry and creative non-fiction through both theory and practice.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**CRW23A5275A**

### Inside Literature



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Tutor to be Confirmed

What can literature tell us about the human condition? Why do authors explore the human tendency to overreach? How do texts explore the end of the world? Learn to read novels, poetry and plays reflectively and analytically through a range of dark, disturbing and dystopian perspectives.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LIT23A5001A**



### Inside Language



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Tutor to be Confirmed

This module will introduce students to some of the big questions involved in the study of language. What is language? How do children learn language? Do animals use language? We will investigate these questions and more in order to understand the value and importance of language study in the modern world.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 24 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ENG23A5313A**

### Inside Philosophy



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Clea Rees

What is the meaning of life? What's so bad about death? Are you free to take this class, or was your choice determined even before your birth? Socrates claimed that only the examined life was worth leading. On this module, we will embark on a philosophical journey that will enable us to start examining our lives and questioning our assumptions. No previous knowledge assumed.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 29 January 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PHI23A5311A**

## Optional modules

### Magical Realism



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Gemma Scammell

This course introduces students to Magical Realism as a literary genre, tracing the origins of the form through to contemporary fiction. Students will analyse a selection of texts from across the globe, including writers such as Latin America's best-known author and Nobel Laureate, Gabriel García Márquez, and Japan's multi-award-winning Haruki Murakami.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 17:30 to 19:30  
Starting 30 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LIT23A5448A**

### The World of Cinema



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Jannat Ahmed

This module explores the rich world of cinema, considering key technological, conceptual, theoretical and aesthetic issues in order to gain a better insight to the films themselves, the companies that produce them, the money that goes into them, and the audiences who love, and sometimes hate, them.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 1 February 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5310A**



## The Moral of the Story



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Clea Rees

Does the parable of the Good Samaritan illustrate the care we owe to strangers? What can the adventures of Bilbo Baggins teach us about the nature of goodness and the roots of evil? This module will use stories as starting points for explorations of key questions in moral philosophy.

9 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

John Percival Building,  
Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PHI23A5022A**

## How to Navigate the Apocalypse



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Michelle Deininger

The end of the world has a long and healthy history. In this online asynchronous module, we will trace the development of (post) apocalyptic texts in the Western tradition, from its earliest beginnings to its rise in popularity during the modern era. Students will be prepped with an understanding of cultural and historical contexts, and attain access to a stockpile of essential critical resources.

9 weeks of asynchronous study  
Starting 7 May 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5375A**



## Tutor finalist in prestigious award

Jannat Ahmed teaches creative writing and media for Lifelong Learning. Jannat has recently been announced as a finalist in the St David Awards in the culture category. This national award recognises the contribution Jannat has made to literature and publishing in Wales.

Jannat, who is 27 and lives in Barry in the Vale of Glamorgan, co-founded *Lucent Dreaming*, an inclusive publishing company which is supportive of contributors who have historically been neglected by, or excluded from, traditional publishing. Jannat's commitment to helping others discover routes into publishing and writing stem from her own experiences as a young woman of colour from a working-class background starting out as a writer. Jannat commented:

“*Lucent Dreaming* was co-founded here at Cardiff University with alumni Joachim Buur and Jess Beynon while I was studying MA English Literature and dealing with anxiety. The magazine, now also a book publisher, was an escape back to the creativity of my childhood and has since opened so many doors for me, from developing projects at Poetry Wales, to mentoring students and teaching at the university.”

Jannat is thrilled to be a finalist in the St David Awards and commented:

“It's such an honour to be named a finalist in the culture category of this year's St David Awards, and alongside such remarkable people across Wales. But the whole thing is surreal, in every way. To be recognised for my contribution to Welsh culture - I feel I'm only at the start of things, but I think that makes this even more special. I am so grateful to everyone who has supported and nurtured me along the way.”

Dr Michelle Deininger, who coordinates the Humanities programme at Lifelong Learning, commented:

“Jannat is an inspirational writer, teacher, editor and mentor to so many people. Having seen her in action on both our community teaching and Pathways to a Degree programmes, it is clear just how much energy and joy Jannat brings to her work. She's making a genuine difference to the lives and experiences of writers and students in Wales and beyond – she's not only a role model for working-class writers, but also a trailblazer for women of colour in the arts.”

Jannat will be teaching again from September. Details of creative writing courses can be found in this prospectus



## Pathways to a degree in

# Journalism, Media and Culture

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We offer an Inside Narratives pathway which will allow you to study towards these degrees at Cardiff University:

► **Journalism and Communications**

► **Media and Communications**

► **Media, Journalism and Culture**

There are no formal entry requirements. Once you have successfully completed a pathway, you are guaranteed an interview at Cardiff University.



## How the Pathway works

The **Pathway to Media** is made up of 60 credits.

To complete the Pathway you must study the Core Module, **Introduction to Media, Journalism and Culture** (20 credits)

### Option 1:

Pick FOUR other modules on the Media Pathway to get your 60 credits.

### Media Pathway Modules

Propaganda and Persuasion,  
The World of Cinema, Inside  
Language, Popular Music,  
Apocalypse

### Option 2:

Pick THREE Media Pathway courses, plus ONE other suitable module from the main prospectus.

### Other suitable modules\* include:

Inside Creative Writing  
Writing for Stage and  
Screen  
Creative Nonfiction

\*Other options may also be available at the discretion of the Co-ordinating Lecturer.



## Introduction to Media, Journalism and Culture



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Susan Bisson

What does it mean to study the media? How do we study journalism? Why is the study of culture important? This course explores key areas of modern media and the history of media and news production.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 18:30 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5316A**



## Popular Music, Culture and Society



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Danijela Špirić-Beard

Why does popular music matter so much to us? How and why does popular music become meaningful for us in our everyday lives? How do we use music to understand our own identities and those of others? This course will address these questions and seek to explore them from a variety of perspectives.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5070A**

## Inside Language



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Tutor to be Confirmed

This module will introduce students to some of the big questions involved in the study of language. What is language? How do children learn language? Do animals use language? We will investigate these questions and more in order to understand the value and importance language study in the modern world.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 24 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ENG23A5313A**

## The World of Cinema



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Jannat Ahmed

This module explores the rich world of cinema, considering key technological, conceptual, theoretical and aesthetic issues in order to gain a better insight to the films themselves, the companies that produce them, the money that goes into them, and the audiences who love, and sometimes hate, them.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 1 February 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5310A**

## Propaganda and Persuasion



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Dafina Paca

'War is Peace. Freedom is Slavery. Ignorance is Strength.' This iconic slogan from Orwell's 1984 captures the way propaganda often contradicts our understanding of 'truth'. This module explores the language and iconography of propaganda, the rise of mass communication, and how understanding is shaped by the language of persuasion.

**9 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 30 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5304A**



## How to Navigate the Apocalypse



Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

### Dr Michelle Deininger

The end of the world has a long and healthy history. In this online module, we will trace the development of (post) apocalyptic texts in the Western tradition, from its earliest beginnings to its rise in popularity during the modern era. Students will be prepped with an understanding of cultural and historical contexts, and attain access to a stockpile of essential critical resources.

**9 weeks of asynchronous study**  
Starting 7 May 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**MED23A5375A**

## Philosophy

### The Enquiring Mind: Introduction to Philosophy

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

#### Dr Julian Ryall

Philosophy teaches us how to question the familiar, challenge the conventional, and better understand the world around us. Taking a thematic approach, this course will examine some of the principal issues in philosophy: art and society; knowledge and scepticism; perception; realism and scientific objectivity; language and thought; values and responsibilities; existence and God. No previous knowledge of philosophy will be assumed.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PHI23A5161A**

### Introducing Social and Political Philosophy

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

#### Dr Clea Rees

What grounds political authority? Which forms of government are just? What is oppression? What is the nature of equality? This course introduces students to a variety of topics in social and political philosophy, focusing primarily on ideas from the western analytic tradition. No previous knowledge of philosophy is assumed.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 14:00 to 16:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PHI23A4669A**



## Environmental Philosophy

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

#### Dr Julian Ryall

What do we mean when we talk of the "natural world"? How can philosophy help us think about our relationship with the environment? This course explores some key texts within environmental philosophy and examines the complex interplay between the natural world and humanity's place within it. No previous experience of philosophy is required.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 January 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PHI23A5427A**

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### Philosophical Fiction and Fantasy

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

#### Dr Clea Rees

Do Greek tragedies reveal virtue's fragility? Can nefarious neuroscientists illuminate free will? Does science fiction elucidate minds' nature? Are philosophical 'thought experiments' misleading distractions? Can literature provide insights philosophers' examples cannot? We will explore philosophical questions using fiction and critically assess its philosophical uses. No previous philosophy required.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 14:00 to 16:00  
Starting 29 January 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PHI23A4283A**

## Historical Studies

### Turning Points in Welsh History

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

#### Dr Elizabeth Jones

What are the main turning points in Welsh history? Is it the English conquest of Wales? The industrial awakening of the Welsh valleys? This course examines key moments from the Roman invasion to the present day, examining the political, economic and social changes that have constructed modern Wales.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5308A**



### Introduction to British Archaeology

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

#### Dr Tudur Davies

The British Isles are rich in their archaeological traces: from villas and roundhouses to grand medieval castles. This course introduces the archaeology of Britain from the dawn of Roman Britain to the later Middle Ages, providing you with a sequence of the archaeological record and an understanding of the rich material culture and history of our isles.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ARC23A4927A**



## The Modern British Garden: the interwar years

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Stephen Parker

The interwar years would become one of the most important and influential periods in the history of garden design; one which brought together art, artists, writers, architects and designers. We discuss this period full of creative energy which influenced a whole new generation of garden makers and artists.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5517A**



## Red Star Rising: The Soviet Union, 1917–45

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Ben Curtis

The Russian Revolution (1917) and establishment of the Soviet Union (USSR) were momentous events. This course explores the background to the Revolution, and the dramatic history of the Soviet Union from its formation, through the Second World War and on to the Cold War. We will examine key themes and debates with continuing relevance in the uncertain political circumstances of today.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5239A**

## Merlin: Prophet and Magician

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Juliette Wood

Ever since the Middle Ages, Merlin has remained one of the most popular but paradoxical Arthurian characters: described as wizard, mythic poet, and shaman. These views have influenced depictions of Merlin in film, culture, cartoons, and musicals, and in darker figures of fantasy literature like Gandalf and Dumbledore. Our quest for the 'authentic' Merlin will take us through literature, folklore, archaeology and art.

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**FOL23A5524A**

## The Formal Garden: structure and symmetry

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Stephen Parker

The formal garden continues to be a significant element of garden design and landscape architecture. From Italy on, we bring the history of formal gardens right up to date, with a discourse that runs counter to the dominant fashion for naturalism and wild planting. We consider designers and gardens that work within a rigid formality, where geometry is king and the Arts and Crafts and modern architectural inspiration abound.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 10 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5518A**

## Neo-Pagan Worlds: From Ancient Beliefs to Modern Movements

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Juliette Wood

Popular ideas of paganism conjure images of ancient rites and exotic beliefs, but it also forms a rich heritage influencing artists, writers, philosophers and scholars. We will explore classical Graeco-Roman paganism, its medieval and Renaissance development, and its revival from late-nineteenth-century Neo-paganism to modern links to ancient religion, the occult, Celtic magic, and ecology. How have attitudes to paganism changed over time?

10 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 18 January 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**FOL23A5525A**

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## From Roman Forums to EU Leisure Centres and beyond: Welsh Towns in History

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Elizabeth Jones

Towns are integral to our lives: they are where we work, where we shop and where we play. However, they are constantly changing in response to local, national and global events. This course explores the evolution of Welsh towns from Roman times to the present day. It examines the events and processes that shaped them and asks what the future holds for them in a post-pandemic, post-Brexit world.

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 23 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5232A**



## It's not all Country Life: the new urban garden

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Stephen Parker

Today, gardens are being created everywhere in a desire to make our cities more liveable. This strong shift from the country estate, so prevalent throughout garden history, to a more urban environment also connects to contemporary architecture and post-industrial development. From courtyards and rooftops, to parks and small green spaces - even vertical gardens and forests abound.

10 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 17 April 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5519A**

## A History of Cardiff: From Roman Fort to Capital City

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Elizabeth Jones

This course examines the main historical, social and cultural factors that have shaped Cardiff's story including the city's early development in the hands of the Romans and the Normans, its growth as a county town and port, and the legacy of the Bute family. The course also explores the diverse activities that have preoccupied the lives of the people of Cardiff over the centuries, from politics, education and religion to culture, recreation and sport.

10 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 30 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5156A**

## Introduction to History of Art: Further Explorations

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Angela Morelli

This module delves deeper into the History of Art and what can be discovered about people, places, and society depicted in artwork. It focuses on key artists and developments in the visual arts by examining paintings, sculpture, and frescoes (including Hieronymus Bosch, Michelangelo, Raphael, Rubens, Goya, William Blake and Dante Gabriel Rossetti).

10 weekly meetings  
Fridays from 11:00 to 13:00  
Starting 6 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**AAA23A5539A**

## Navigating the Minoan Labyrinth: The Civilisation of Bronze Age Crete

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

Popular knowledge about Bronze Age Crete is clouded by myths about heroes and monsters, widely-known legends which obscure our understanding of the Minoans, a civilisation which dominated Crete for almost 2000 years. This course will introduce students to the art and archaeology of the early, middle and late Bronze Age in Crete.

10 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 15 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**AAA23A5386A**





# Music in the Community Award 2023



Nominations are invited for the Leonard and Marian Jones Music in the Community Award. This award is given to an individual or individuals who have made an outstanding contribution to the links between any aspect of music and the community, in and around the South Wales region.

Please send in your nominations to **Dr Michelle Deininger – DeiningerMJ@cardiff.ac.uk – by 15 December 2023 at the very latest.** The nomination must be made by an individual or an individual representing a group.

To nominate an individual or a group for the award, you must

- State the name and contact details of the nominee

- Write a supporting statement of no more than 500 words. This statement must address the following criteria:
- How has the nominee made an outstanding contribution to the links between music and the community?
- What impact has the nominee and their project made on the community?
- How is the nominee's project sustainable in the longer term?

The winner(s) will be announced in **February 2024** and the award will be presented at our Annual Awards Evening in March 2024.

## Music

### Composing Music Workshop Online

Fee £41700 (Concessionary Fee £375.00)

#### Dr Gareth Churchill

This course offers personal, long distance tutorial support (usually via e-mail) to new and experienced composers who want to pursue a project of their own. The nature of the study will be tailored to the student's individual requirements. The course is primarily aimed at students writing in a contemporary Western art music classical style in an acoustic instrumental and/or vocal idiom. **Enrolment in advance, accompanied by a statement of your interests, is essential.**

#### Starting 25 September 2023

This course will be taught online

10 Credits, Level 4

**MPR23A4549A**

#### Starting 22 January 2024

This course will be taught online

10 Credits, Level 4

**MPR23A4549B**

### Arranging Music Workshop Online

Fee £417.00 (Concessionary Fee £375.00)

#### Dr Liz Lane

This course offers personal, long distance tutorial support (usually via e-mail) to new and more experienced arrangers of music who want to pursue a project of their own. The nature of the study will be tailored to the student's individual requirements. The course is primarily aimed at students who would like to arrange music from a range of genres for a combination of instruments and/or voices. **Enrolment in advance, with a statement of your interests, is essential.**

#### Starting 22 January 2024

This course will be taught online

10 Credits, Level 4

**MPR23A4609A**

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## Pathways to a degree in

# History, Archaeology and Religion

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The Exploring the Past pathway provides a route to study undergraduate degrees at Cardiff University in:

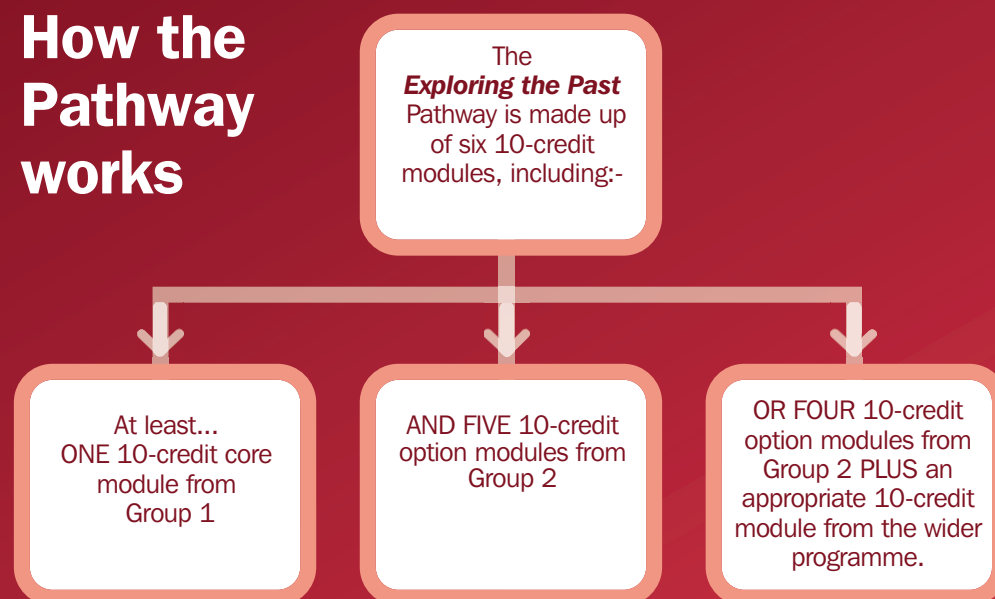
- **Ancient History**
- **Archaeology**
- **History**
- **Religion**

There are no formal entry requirements. Once you have successfully completed an Exploring the Past pathway, you are guaranteed an interview at Cardiff University. Should you progress on to a degree programme, you will be eligible for

'advanced standing' of 60 credits – this means that these 60 credits will count towards the first year of your degree.



## How the Pathway works



## Group 1: Core Modules

### Exploring the Past: What is History?

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Tutor to be confirmed

What is history? How is history presented? How do we find out about history? Why do we argue about the past and its influence on our lives? This module will explore the role of the historian, from the presentation of history in the world around us, to the history of politics, nations, society and cultures, and the global and diverse approaches of today.

9 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5520A**



### Exploring World Religions

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Gina Bevan

What is religion? How do we study it? We will explore religions from around the world, introducing different faiths and diverse global religious traditions, and asking wider questions surrounding texts, practices, authority and identity. We will consider issues religions face today, such as migration, technology, secularisation and the emergence of 'new religions'.

9 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**REL23A5484A**

### Exploring the Past: Archaeology

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

Archaeologists do much more than dig, but what is archaeology and what do archaeologists do? This course introduces approaches and techniques, exploring the reconstruction of past landscape and agriculture, technology, trade, diet, burial practices, beliefs, cultural identities and the lives of individuals and communities.

9 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 16 January 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A4599A**

## Group 2: Option Modules

### Art and Archaeology of Empires: Rome meets Byzantium

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

Through the study of pottery, painting, mosaics, monumental sculpture, ivory carvings, gems and architecture, this course will introduce the history, archaeology and art of the Roman and Byzantine Mediterranean (200 BC - 1453 AD). We will consider the relationship between art, society, politics, economy, gender and religion.

9 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 9 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ARC23A5401A**

### Ancient Literature and Society

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Gina Bevan

What did it mean to be Greek or Roman? What do ancient texts reveal about attitudes to war, love, family and gender, and about voices of the marginalised? Using texts ranging from epic poetry to comedy, and including works by Homer, Sophocles, Ovid and Virgil, we will explore societies that birthed stories which continue to captivate audiences today.

9 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 17 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LIT23A5501A**

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### Bewildering Bodies and Bizarre Beliefs, 1500-1700

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Rachel Bowen

Whilst beliefs of earlier eras can appear products of 'ignorance' or 'superstition', early-modern understandings of the human body were often based on careful study and complex systems of thought, telling us about how people saw the world and their place within it. We will examine beliefs about the body, 1500-1700, including attitudes to healing, medicine, heaven, hell, monsters, ghosts, witches and prophecy.

7 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 29 January 2024  
Plus 4 asynchronous online hours

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5489A**

### Aging Through the Ages: Bioarchaeology and the People of the Past

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Katie Faillace

From infancy to getting old, how can we investigate age in past societies? Using examples from Britain, Europe and North America, we will consider how bioarchaeologists estimate age using bones and teeth, and how human skeletons provide evidence of diet, geography, disease and trauma. How can archaeology shed light on types of age, rites of passage, social responsibilities and personal identities?

9 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 30 April 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ARC23A5487A**

### People, Identity and Society: The Making of Modern Britain

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Tutor to be confirmed

Where do our identities come from? What is their history? How did society in Britain develop into the diverse communities of today? We will explore ideas of Four Nations history, before investigating the influence of Empire, slavery, perceptions of class, and the impact of World Wars. We will consider perceptions of race, gender, and sexuality, revealing hitherto unheard historical voices.

9 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 1 February 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**HIS23A5521A**





## STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

“The Exploring the Past pathway opened doors for me that I didn’t even know existed and for that I am truly grateful”



“ I had a general interest in history which motivated me to enrol on the pathway.

The pathway really prepared me for my degree by allowing me to refresh on the academic skills I hadn’t used in several years. The level of support and encouragement I received while studying helped me realise my own capabilities academically. There was always a tutor on hand to answer questions, this continued throughout the process of transition onto the degree scheme. Every step of

the way there was always someone to provide a helping hand when needed.

The pathway allowed me to gain valuable skills in research and writing and I gained valuable skills in my professional life which prepared me to progress into job roles with more responsibility.

The pathway is an investment in yourself. It is a great way to get a taster into what a possible degree would look like. You are able to explore what interests you in a way that doesn’t impede on your work

life balance. If you are hesitant in deciding if the course is right for you, rest assured that all the support you need will be there regardless of how much you need. The pathway opened doors for me that I didn’t even know existed, and for that I am truly grateful.

Jordan Graham graduated from Cardiff University with a BA in History in 2022



### Women in Myth: Ancient, Medieval and Modern

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Juliette Wood

From the classical goddesses and their influence on Western art and literature, to powerful female deities in African, Australasian and Oriental culture, to the modern feminist goddess movement and the neo-pagan revival, this course will take us through literature, folklore, archaeology, and art, to understand the varied and dynamic roles of women in myth.

9 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 9 May 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
FOL23A5522A

### Global Queenship

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Charlotte Pickard

What was the role of the queen in the pre-modern world? We will explore queenship, considering queens as mothers, consorts, strong political figures and rulers in their own right, as patrons of religion and culture, and how they have been remembered. We will compare and contrast pre-modern queens, introducing vibrant scholarship which reinstates royal women as leaders in pre-modern societies across the world.

6 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 18:00 to 21:00  
Starting 13 May 2024  
Plus 6 asynchronous online hours

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
HIS23A5523A

### Ideas of Empire: From Persia to Putin

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

#### Dr Alun Williams

What is an empire? How did ancient empires influence later imperial projects, up to the present day? We will examine empires including Assyria, Persia, Rome, the Renaissance empires forged in the 'New World', and more recent imperial visions of the World Wars, Cold War and post-Soviet era. Did ancient ideas, ideologies and practices of empire influence their successors and, if so, how?

3 Meetings  
Saturdays from 10:00 to 16:00  
8, 15 and 29 June 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
HIS23A5486A



## The Exploring the Past FREE Lecture series

Our monthly free lecture series presents an exciting window into history, archaeology, literature and religion, providing a glimpse into research carried out by Cardiff University academics and beyond to give you a taste of academic study.

Our popular series will be continuing online in 2023-24, and we will publish the lecture titles and dates on our website in advance of each talk, as well as emailing our students and subscribers with information on how to sign up.

If you would like to join our mailing list for information about the lectures, contact Dr Paul Webster: [websterp@cardiff.ac.uk](mailto:websterp@cardiff.ac.uk)



# Modern Languages

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## Arabic

### Arabic: Beginners I

Fee **£217.00** (Concessionary Fee **£174.00**)

#### Buthenah Davies

This course is aimed at absolute beginners and will introduce students to the Arabic language and culture. The emphasis will be on developing speaking and listening skills. Students will also get a good impression of the outlook and day-to-day life of the Arabic speaking world.

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 2 October 2023**

John Percival Building,  
Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ARA23A4633A**



### Arabic: Beginners II

Fee **£217.00** (Concessionary Fee **£174.00**)

#### Dr Buthenah Davies

This course is aimed at students who have attended **Arabic: Beginners I**, or have some very basic knowledge of Arabic. It is not appropriate for absolute beginners of the language.

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 22 January 2024**

John Percival Building,  
Colum Drive, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**ARA23A4634A**

### Arabic Communication Skills I

Fee **£326.00** (Concessionary Fee **£261.00**)

#### Ms Sefat Salama

This course is designed to stretch students' vocabulary and knowledge about each theme through discussions, role plays, research and presentations. Working individually and in groups, you will be invited to draw on personal interests and experience to support your participation whilst exploring the broadest aspects of a wide variation of themes.

**18 weekly meetings**  
**Tuesdays from 18:00 to 20:00**  
**Starting 3 October 2023**

John Percival Building,  
Colum Drive, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**ARA23A4041A**

This table helps you find your level however we know that in some cases this can be difficult. This is why you have the option of switching from one course to another during the first few weeks.

Recommended Level of Competence at Entry	Stages	Level of Competence reached at end of stage course (All Languages)	Common European Framework of Reference
You have no previous knowledge of the language.	<b>STAGE A</b>	Basic survival skills: understanding basic written and spoken texts; taking part in simple conversation; conveying simple information in writing.	Preparation for A1
	<b>STAGE A+</b>	Stage A+ has been created as a bridge between Stage A and Stage B.	
You may have studied the language a long time ago and you may be a bit rusty now (one year's part-time study or 'rusty' GCSE in the language studied).	<b>STAGE B</b>	You should have a sufficient vocabulary for coping with everyday situations with predictable content and simple survival needs. You should be able to handle very short social exchanges. You should be able to understand a simple description.	Preparation for A2
You may have acquired survival skills in the language and had some opportunity to use the language recently (two years' part-time study or a good recent GCSE pass in the language studied).	<b>STAGE C</b>	You should be able to confidently cope with everyday situations. You should be able to make and respond to invitations, apologies, etc. You should be able to understand a simple and direct exchange of limited information on familiar and routine matters.	
You may have had a good command of the language some time ago and you want to re-activate and build upon your comprehension and expression (three years' part-time study or 'rusty' A-Level in the language studied).	<b>STAGE D</b>	You should have enough language to get by, with sufficient vocabulary to understand topics such as family, hobbies and interests, work, travel, and current events. You should be able to understand the main points in an idea or problem with reasonable precision.	Preparation for B1
You have recently completed an A- Level in the language studied and you are ready to take it a step further (four years' part-time study or A-Level in the language studied).	<b>STAGE E</b>	You should have a sufficient range of language to be able to understand descriptions and arguments on most topics related to family, hobbies and interests, work, travel, and current events. You should be able to identify unfamiliar words from the context on topics related to your field/interests.	
You have a very good working knowledge of the language and you want a stimulating course to match and stretch your competencies (five years' part-time study or Advanced Stage E).	<b>STAGE F</b>	You should be able with some effort to keep up with fast and colloquial discussions. You should be able to understand detailed information reliably.	Preparation for B2
You have an excellent command of the language and use it on a regular basis. This level will enhance your near-native language skills (six years' part-time study or Advanced Stage F).	<b>STAGE G/H</b>	You should have a good command of broad lexical repertoire and a good command of idiomatic expressions and colloquialisms. You should be able to understand language effectively for social purposes, including emotional, allusive and joking usage.	Preparation for C1

## International Language Examinations in Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese and Spanish

You can sit the following examinations

- DELF/DALF (French)
- CILS (Italian)
- DELE (Spanish)
- Goethe Zertifikat (German)
- HSK (Chinese)
- JLPT (Japanese)

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**www.cardiff.ac.uk/modern-languages/about-us/international-language-qualifications**



# Chinese

Our Chinese courses are taught by the tutors of the Cardiff Confucius Institute which is located in the university's School of Modern Languages. Specialised in high quality language teaching, the Institute is a partnership with Xiamen University in China where most tutors have studied. They are qualified to teach Chinese as a Foreign Language and place a strong emphasis on culture content in their courses. Internationally recognised language qualifications (HSK) are also available throughout the year. Please visit our website for more details: [www.cardiff.ac.uk/confucius-institute/](http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/confucius-institute/)



## Chinese: Higher Intermediate

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

### Mei Wang

This module is to improve learners' Chinese language skills to a more advanced level. Learners will learn to communicate with native speakers, to form new words and expressions with knowledge of characters, and to write paragraphs in Chinese characters with more advanced grammatical structures and knowledge of Chinese culture.

24 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4644A



## Chinese: Beginners I

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

The module is designed for those who have no previous knowledge of the Chinese language. It focuses on developing skills of speaking and understanding everyday Chinese, reading and typing/writing simplified Chinese characters in alphabetic pinyin. Students will also learn the basic Chinese sentence structures and get to know Chinese culture.

Kun Hao  
12 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4637A

Qi Zhang  
12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 26 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4637B

Modi Zhu  
12 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 29 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4637C

Tutor to be confirmed  
12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 30 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4637D

## Chinese: Beginners II

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

The module is designed for those who have learned some basic Chinese. It will continue to develop the skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing for daily life situations. Students will learn to identify and write Chinese characters and to use basic grammatical structures for practical purposes with knowledge of relevant Chinese culture. It is not appropriate for absolute beginners.

Kun Hao  
12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 26 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4638A

Modi Zhu  
12 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 29 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4638B

Menjiao Yang  
12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 30 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4638C



## Chinese: Improvers

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

### Miao Zhang

This module aims to improve learners' proficiency in Chinese. Learners will continue to develop their listening, speaking, reading and writing skills with more advanced topics. They will learn to identify and write more Chinese characters and to use more grammatical structures for practical purposes. Learners will be introduced to more knowledge of Chinese culture.

24 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 26 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A1002A



## Chinese: Intermediate

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

### Menjiao Yang

This module aims to increase learners' proficiency in Mandarin Chinese. Learners will develop their speaking and listening skills with more advanced topics. They will acquire skills of reading and comprehending intermediate-level Chinese texts and of writing paragraphs in Chinese characters with more advanced grammatical structures and knowledge of Chinese culture.

24 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A4643A

## Chinese: Advanced

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

### Mei Wang

This module aims to increase learners' proficiency in Mandarin Chinese. Learners will develop their speaking and listening skills with more advanced topics. They will acquire skills of reading and comprehending intermediate-level Chinese texts and of writing paragraphs in Chinese characters with more advanced grammatical structures and knowledge of Chinese culture.

24 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
CHI23A5137A

## French

### French: Beginners - Stage A

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Julien Carelli

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3rd October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2607A

### French: Improvers - Stage B

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Hamid Sahki

28 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2608A

#### Julien Carelli

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2608B

### French: Intermediate - Stage C

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Hamid Sahki

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2609A

#### Marie-Laure Jones

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2609B

### French: Higher Intermediate - Stage D

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Hamid Sahki

28 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2610A

#### Hamid Sahki

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
FRE23A2610B





## Le club de Lecture en Français

Fee £371.00 (Concessionary Fee £297.00)

### Hamid Sahki

Pendant l'année, nous discuterons des thèmes et des histoires des quatre livres du programme. Nous partagerons nos points de vue sur ces livres qui évoquent les grands aspects de la société française et francophone au 20<sup>e</sup> siècle, la deuxième guerre mondiale, le monde du travail. Pendant l'année, nous discuterons des thèmes et des histoires des quatre livres du programme. Nous partagerons nos points de vue sur ces livres qui évoquent les grands aspects de la société française et francophone au 20<sup>e</sup> siècle, la deuxième guerre mondiale, le monde du travail. Ce cours est destiné à des étudiants avec un bon niveau en langue française. Programme de lecture Enfant de salaud. Sorj Chalandon. Edition : Le livre de poche. Elise ou la vraie vie. Claire Etcherelli. Edition : Folio. Meursault, contre-enquête. Kamel Daoud. Edition : Babel. Le dieu du Carnage. Yasmina Reza. Edition : Magnard

20 weekly meetings  
Fridays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 6 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 5  
**FRE23A5543A**

## German

### German: Beginners – Stage A

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Gaby Cablitz

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2613A**

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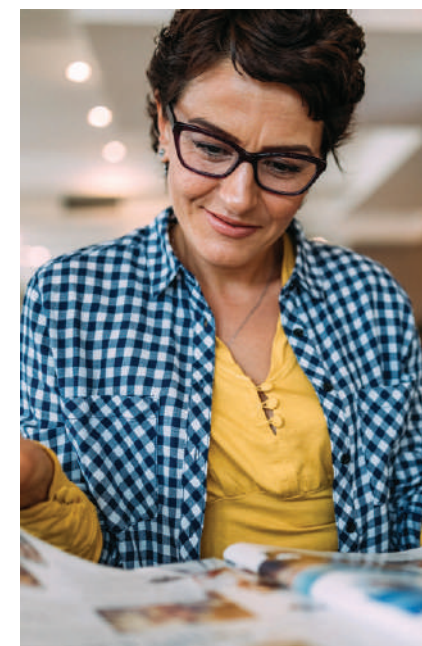
### German: Improvers – Stage B

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Gaby Cablitz

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2614A**



### German: Intermediate – Stage C

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Sabina Barczyk-Wozniak

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2615A**

#### Denise Micic

28 weekly meetings  
Fridays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 6 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2615B**

### German: Higher Intermediate – Stage D

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Sabina Barczyk-Wozniak

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2616A**

### German: Advanced – Stage E

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Doris Wagner

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2720A**

### German: Advanced – Stage F

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Doris Wagner

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

30 Credits, Level 4  
**GER23A2723A**

### French: Lower Advanced – Stage E

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Ariane Laumonier

28 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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30 Credits, Level 4  
**FRE23A2611A**

### French: Advanced – Stage G

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Stéphane Jenaer

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2022

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 5  
**FRE23A2612A**

### French: Advanced – Stage F

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Romina Laurent

28 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**FRE23A2719A**

#### Romina Laurent

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**FRE23A2719B**

### French: Advanced – Stage H

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Stéphane Jenaer

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 5  
**FRE23A2717A**

## Parler Franc

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Hamid Sahki

#### Nadia Nebot

Ce cours est d'un niveau supérieur avancé qui s'adresse aux étudiants qui souhaitent perfectionner leur connaissance de la langue, de la société et de la culture française. Organisé afin de pratiquer tous les aspects de la langue (Oral, Ecrit, Audio), ce cours inclura de nombreuses conversations en classe, animé de débats sur des thèmes actuels de société, arts, patrimoine, histoire, musique, culture, sciences et techniques: tous les sujets sont abordés et analysés (niveau DALF C1)

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

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## Greek

### Greek: Beginners I

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

#### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

This course aims at absolute beginners. Students will learn to read the Greek alphabet and will be introduced to Greek grammar and sentence construction. Basic conversation and language structures will be covered and by the end of the course students will be able to read Greek, order food/drinks in a restaurant, introduce themselves and carry some basic conversation in Greek.

#### 12 weekly meetings

Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
**GRE23A1678A**

### Greek: Beginners II

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

#### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

This follow-on course from **Greek: Beginners I** will further improve oral, written and listening skills. We will build on vocabulary, phrases and writing in Greek. The students who join this course should be able to read Greek and have some basic vocabulary, it is not suitable for absolute beginners.

#### 12 weekly meetings

Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 30 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
**GRE23A1679A**



### Greek: Improvers - Stage B

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

This course is aimed at students who have attended **Greek: Beginners II** or had some formal or informal Greek lessons in the past. The students will be introduced to more complex sentence constructions and more advanced grammar. There will be particular emphasis put on listening and oral skills.

#### 24 weekly meetings

Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

20 Credits, Level 4  
**GRE23A4544A**

### Greek: Lower Advanced - Stage D

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Christina Hatzimichael Whitley

This course is aimed at students who have studied Greek for three years part-time. It builds on the grammar base acquired in previous studies but the emphasis is on communication and comprehension skills. General topics covered in previous courses will be revised and extended and your knowledge of Greek culture and society will be further developed through the introduction of new themes.

#### 24 weekly meetings

Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

20 Credits, Level 4  
**GRE23A3524A**

## Italian

### Italian: Beginners – Stage A

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Bruna Chezzi

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2618A**

#### Martina Gallina

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2618B**

### Italian: Improvers – Stage B

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Bruna Chezzi

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2619A**

#### Dr Bruna Chezzi

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2619B**

### Italian: Lower Intermediate - Stage C

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Rossella Grillo

28 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2620A**

#### Dr Bruna Chezzi

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2620B**



### Italian: Higher Intermediate - Stage D

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Bruna Chezzi

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2621A**

### Italian: Lower Advanced - Stage E

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Rossella Grillo

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2721A**

### Italian: Advanced - Stage F

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Martina Gallina

28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**ITA23A2724A**

### Italian: Higher Advanced - Stage G

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

#### Dr Bruna Chezzi

28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 5  
**ITA23A3528A**

# Intensive Language Courses

Every summer we run intensive language courses in June/July. Information will be available from our website and Reception in April.

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- ▶ Your language course ended in the spring and you would like to get extra practice during the summer
- ▶ You would like to try a new language to see if you'd enjoy it;
- ▶ You're planning to go abroad this summer and want to learn basic phrases or brush up on existing language skills.

These courses are good value for money and are usually very popular.

We look forward to seeing you!





## Politica, Guerra e mafia nella storia della letteratura italiana

Fee £361.00 (Concessionary Fee £289.00)

### Martina Gallina

Nel corso della storia, l'Italia ha sempre dovuto fare i conti con le profonde spaccature culturali, familiari, politiche e sociali che ancora oggi si riflettono nel presente. In questo corso verrà esaminato materiale appartenente a diverse epoche storiche: racconti di esercizio di potere e diplomazia, situazioni di oppressione e lotte per la libertà e diritti saranno esaminati attraverso la letteratura – Machiavelli, Pasolini, Saviano per citare alcuni nomi – ma anche attraverso mappe, filmati e grafici, che verranno messi a disposizione degli studenti per arricchire il vocabolario e per stimolare dibattiti e confronti di idee. Il corso è organizzato in CLIL (Content and Language Integrated Learning) ed è consigliato per studenti di livello avanzato (E+) al fine di ampliare vocabolario, conoscenze e sviluppare pensiero critico.

20 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
20 Credits, Level 5  
ITA23A5506A

## Italian Society in Twenty Films Part 3

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

### Dr Luca Paci

This interactive course delves deeper into the influential events that have shaped modern and contemporary Italian society, using cinema as a lens for exploration. We will investigate various crucial topics, including identity, gender and equality, feminism, migration, politics, economy, the North-South divide, Mafia and organized crime, as well as fashion and design. Iconic directors such as Antonioni, Visconti, De Sica, Rossellini, Fellini, Wertmüller, along with contemporary filmmakers like Sorrentino, Guadagnino, Rohrwacher, and many more, will guide us in comprehending the intricate social and political legacy of present-day Italy. Throughout the course, we will engage in thought-provoking discussions on themes like race, identity, gender and equality, feminism, immigration, politics, economy, the North-South divide, Mafia and organized crime, as well as fashion and design.

28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 5  
ITA23A5547A



## Japanese

### Japanese: Beginners I

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

#### Terumi Blackmore

This course is aimed at absolute beginners and will introduce students to the Japanese language and culture. Students will learn Hiragana and get ample opportunity to practise basic conversation.

12 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
JPN23A1074A

12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 26 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
JPN23A1074B

12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 16 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
JPN23A1074C

### Japanese: Beginners II

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

#### Terumi Blackmore

This course is aimed at students who have attended **Japanese: Beginners I**, or have some very basic knowledge of Japanese. It is not appropriate for absolute beginners of the language. The course covers Katakana. A wider range of grammatical structures will also be taught.

12 weekly meetings  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 22 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
JPN23A1377A

12 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 23 April 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
JPN23A1377B

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## STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

# Arnaud Bouanga is passionate about languages and has a strong desire to have a career teaching Japanese

I was working as a Customer Service Advisor but I had always wanted to learn Japanese and

discover more about Japanese culture. I decided to attend a Cardiff University Open Day and it blew my mind! A lecturer told me about the Pathway to Japanese and how it would enable me to study a degree at the School of Modern Languages.

The Pathway actually exceeded my expectations! From the course tutor to the University staff at every level, the support has been amazing. They made me feel like they really want to see me succeed, which is really nice and motivating.

Thanks to the class presentations we had as part of our assessments, this course did wonders for my presentation skills. The valuable advice I received are still benefiting me to this day and will probably do so throughout my future career.

I would encourage others to enrol. Regardless of your age or your background you will



learn and benefit from it. It potentially can have positive repercussions on your life as well so... why not give it a try?

I graduated with a BA in Modern languages and translation, am in the 2nd semester of a MA in translation studies and already looking

forward to possibly do a PhD as well. I would never have thought this was possible just a few years back!



**Japanese: Improvers I**

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

**Noriko Whitelock**

This course is aimed at students who have studied Japanese for one year part-time.

In this course students will practise real life situations/dialogues to achieve a higher level in communication with Japanese people. Students will expand their written skills, vocabulary and understanding of the structure of the Japanese language. This course introduces a few essential Kanji.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 18:30 to 20:30  
Starting 28 September 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4  
**JPN23A2946A**

**Japanese: Improvers II**

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

**Noriko Whitelock**

This follow-on course from **Japanese: Improvers I** will introduce students to a broader but still limited range of oral, aural and written skills, sufficient for practical needs in everyday situations. This course covers some Kanji.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 18:30 to 20:30  
Starting 25 January 2024

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff

10 Credits, Level 4  
**JPN23A2947A**

**Japanese: Lower Intermediate**

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Terumi Blackmore**

This course is aimed at students who have studied Japanese for two years part-time. Students will further improve their speaking, listening and writing skills in a relaxed and enjoyable atmosphere. Grammar includes plain form of verbs, volitional, conditional structures.

**24 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 27 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
20 Credits, Level 4

**JPN23A3537A**

**Japanese: Higher Intermediate**

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Terumi Blackmore**

This course is aimed at students who have studied Japanese for 3 years part-time. Students will further improve their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills in a relaxed and enjoyable atmosphere. Grammar includes passive, honorific, causative structures.

**24 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 28 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
20 Credits, Level 4

**JPN23A4691A**

**Portuguese****Portuguese: Beginners - Stage A**

Fee £361.00 (Concessionary Fee £289.00)

**Larissa Berquo**

This course for absolute beginners aims to give you a basic knowledge of communicative skills in Portuguese. The tutor is Brazilian so there will be a strong emphasis on cultural issues of Brazil.

**20 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 4  
**POR23A2212A**

**Portuguese: Improvers - Stage B**

Fee £361.00 (Concessionary Fee £289.00)

**Larissa Berquo**

This course is aimed at students who have studied Portuguese for one year part-time, or have some knowledge of the language. Students should be familiar with very basic grammatical structures of Portuguese and be able to hold a simple conversation in the language. The aim is to build on this knowledge and further improve students' language skills. The emphasis is on speaking but you will also learn more advanced grammatical structures and sentence pattern, which will form the basis for further progression in Portuguese.

**20 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 4  
**POR23A2213A**

**Russian****Russian: Beginners I**

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

**Dr Maryna Calder**

This course is aimed at absolute beginners and will introduce students to the Russian language and culture. Students will learn to read the Russian alphabet and practise basic conversation and language structures.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4

**RUS23A3050A**

**Russian: Beginners II**

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

**Dr Maryna Calder**

This course is aimed at students who have attended **Russian: Beginners I**, or have some basic knowledge of the language. The emphasis is on communication skills taught in a relaxed and enjoyable atmosphere. This course is not for absolute Beginners of the language.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 22 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**RUS23A3051A**

**Russian: Improvers I**

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

**Olga Lewis**

This course is aimed at students who have studied Russian for one year part-time, who wish to further improve their language skills.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 27 September 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**RUS23A3277A**

**Russian: Improvers II**

Fee £217.00 (Concessionary Fee £174.00)

**Olga Lewis**

This course is aimed at students who have attended **Russian: Improvers I** or have some knowledge of Russian. Students will further improve their language skills.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 17 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
10 Credits, Level 4

**RUS23A3278A**

**Russian: Intermediate**

Fee £361.00 (Concessionary Fee £289.00)

**Olga Lewis**

This course is aimed at students who have studied Russian for two years part-time, who wish to further progress their active and passive language skills. The emphasis is on communication and comprehension skills but also builds on the grammar base acquired in lower level courses. Some topics will be revised and extended with new themes introduced to expand students' knowledge of Russian culture and society.

**20 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**RUS23A3525A**

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**Spanish****Spanish: Beginners - Stage A**

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Ana Costa**

**28 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2622A**

**Paloma Galvez Corredor**

**28 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2622B**

**Cristina Moroy**

**28 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2622C**

**Spanish: Improvers - Stage B**

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Cristina Moroy**

**28 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive, Cardiff

30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2623A**

**Belen Munguia-Peacock**

**28 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2623B**

**Ana Costa**

**28 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

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30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2623C**







### Spanish: Intermediate - Stage C

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Ana Costa**  
28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2624A**

**Belen Munguia-Peacock**  
28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

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**Paloma Galvez Corredor**  
28 weekly meetings  
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**SPA23A2624C**

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### Spanish: Higher Intermediate - Stage D

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Cristina Moroy**  
28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2625A**

**Cristina Moroy**  
28 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive,  
Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2625B**



### Spanish: Lower Advanced - Stage E

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Belen Munguia-Peacock**  
28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2722A**

**Ana Costa**  
28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive,  
Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2722B**

### Spanish: Advanced - Stage F

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Paloma Galvez Corredor**  
28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely  
via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**SPA23A2725A**

### Spanish: Advanced - Stage G

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Cristina Moroy**  
28 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 18:00 to 20:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

John Percival Building, Colum Drive,  
Cardiff  
30 Credits, Level 5  
**SPA23A2626A**

### Spanish: Higher Advanced - Stage H

Fee £420.00 (Concessionary Fee £336.00)

**Cristina Moroy**  
28 weekly meetings  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via  
an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 5  
**SPA23A2627A**

### Hablemos de España y Latinoamérica

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Ms Susanna Echaves**  
Este curso está orientado para estudiantes de español de nivel avanzado que quieren seguir practicando sus destrezas auditivas y orales además de adquirir nuevos conocimientos históricos y culturales. En este curso se estudiará la historia contemporánea de España y América Latina. Para cubrir estos temas se utilizará una gran variedad de recursos tales como presentaciones, recortes de prensa, documentales, documentos de televisión y lecturas. Los alumnos podrán analizar el contexto histórico y practicar su gramática y vocabulario mediante actividades orales y escritas sobre la película vista en clase.

20 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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### Historia, política y tradiciones españolas

Fee £361.00 (Concessionary Fee £289.00)

**Cristina Moroy**  
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20 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 5  
**SPA23A5508A**

### Continuamos debatiendo 2

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Cristina Moroy**  
Este curso está dirigido a estudiantes de nivel avanzado que quieren seguir practicando sus destrezas orales y auditivas. En este curso se tratarán temas de la actualidad de España y de los diferentes países de habla hispana. Para cubrir estos temas utilizaremos una gran variedad de recursos como artículos de

periódicos y revistas y documentales de televisión. Los estudiantes podrán practicar sus destrezas orales mediante discusiones, debates y pequeñas presentaciones.

20 weekly meetings  
Wednesdays from 13:00 to 15:00  
Starting 20 March 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 5  
**SPA23A5526A**

### Comando Actualidad

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Susanna Echaves**  
El objetivo de este curso de español avanzado es mejorar la competencia del idioma al mismo tiempo que los alumnos obtienen nuevos sobre la actualidad de España y Latinoamérica a través de la prensa, noticias en televisión y documentales. Trataremos temas variados de política, cultura, música y arte, cine, literatura, etc. Y los relacionaremos con el contexto histórico político que los envuelve. Los temas se presentarán en clase y los estudiantes tendrán la posibilidad de practicar sus destrezas orales y ampliar su vocabulario a través de debates y ejercicios de conversación. Además, los estudiantes tendrán la oportunidad de practicar y mejorar sus conceptos gramaticales, vocabulario y destrezas orales mediante actividades tanto orales como escritas presentadas en clase.

20 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 12:00 to 14:00  
Starting 21 March 2024

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**SPA23A5528A**





Pathways to a degree in

# Modern Languages: French, German, Italian, Spanish

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The Pathway to a degree in Modern Languages gives you the choice to go on to study at Cardiff University either one language (Single Honours) or two languages (Joint Honours).

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Pathway to a  
degree in Modern  
Languages:  
French, German,  
Italian, Spanish

Single Honours Degree  
(One language)

**30 credits**  
at  
Stage E or F in  
French, German,  
Italian or Spanish

**30 credits**  
at  
Stage F or G in  
the **same** language

Joint Honours Degree  
(Two languages)

**30 credits**  
at  
Stage E or F in  
French, German,  
Italian or Spanish

**30 credits**  
at  
Stage E or higher in  
a **different** language

**You will find all of the Stage E, F and G courses in French, German, Italian and Spanish on offer this Autumn in the Modern Languages section and look for the following symbol.**



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Pathways to a degree in

# Modern Languages: Chinese, Japanese, Portuguese

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The Pathway to a degree in Modern Languages gives you the choice to go on to study at Cardiff University.

You must focus on one language to go on to study a single honour. There are three languages you can choose from:

- **Chinese**
- **Japanese**
- **Portuguese**

You must take at least 20 credits in your chosen language, and take a selection of optional modules to make up 60 credits.

Pathway to a  
degree in Modern  
Languages:  
Chinese,  
Japanese,  
Portuguese

## Core Modules

### Chinese

- Chinese: Beginners I
- Chinese: Beginners II
- Chinese: Improvers

### Japanese

- Japanese for Beginners I
- Japanese for Beginners II
- Japanese for Improvers I
- Japanese for Improvers II

### Portuguese

- Portuguese for Beginners Stage A
- Portuguese: Improvers – Stage B

## Optional modules

### English Literature and Philosophy

- Inside Poetry
- Magical Realism
- How to Navigate the Apocalypse
- The World of Cinema

### History and Religion

- Exploring World Religions
- People, Identity and Society: The Making of Modern Britain.
- Ideas of Empire: From Persia to Putin

### Modern Languages

- Professional Conduct in Public Service Interpreting

### International Relations and Politics

- 1989: a Pivotal Year for Europe
- Contemporary Issues in Europe
- Introduction to International Relations
- The Political Systems in Wales

**You will find all of these courses on offer this Autumn in this prospectus**





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# Translation

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## Pathway to a degree in Translation

### Pathway to a degree in Translation

**30 credits**  
at  
Stage E or F in  
French, German,  
Italian or Spanish

**30 credits**  
at  
Stage E  
(in a *different* language)  
or F or G  
(in the *same* language)

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learning  
potential!

## Interpreting

### Professional Conduct in Public Service Interpreting

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£149.00**)

#### Zora Jackman

This course is suitable for students who are new to interpreting as well as for practicing interpreters and covers the practical and ethical issues associated with working as a public service interpreter in the UK and the understanding, knowledge and skills required. It will include professional conduct and development, terminology research and interpreting skills.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
**IAT23A5078A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
**IAT23A5078B**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 9 April 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
**IAT23A5078C**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 9 April 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom

10 Credits, Level 4  
**IAT23A5078D**



### Public Service Interpreting - Criminal Justice

Fee **£517.00** (Concessionary Fee **£414.00**)

#### Zora Jackman

This course is designed to support bilingual students in the development of the skills, knowledge and understanding required to work as public service interpreters in Criminal Justice settings. It offers guidance on preparation for the Law Pathway of the Diploma in Public Service Interpreting (DPSI) examinations run by the Chartered Institute of Linguists ([www.ciol.org.uk](http://www.ciol.org.uk)) but students who are not planning to sit the examinations are also welcome.

**19 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 17:00 to 20:00  
Starting 17 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**IAT23A5293A**

### Public Service Interpreting - Health

Fee **£517.00** (Concessionary Fee **£414.00**)

#### Zora Jackman

This course is designed to support bilingual students in the development of the skills, knowledge and understanding required to work as public service interpreters in health settings and in their preparation for the Health pathway of the Diploma in Public Service Interpreting (DPSI) examinations run by the Chartered Institute of Linguists ([www.ciol.org.uk](http://www.ciol.org.uk)) but students who are not planning to sit the examinations are also welcome.

**19 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 17:00 to 20:00  
Starting 18 January 2024

This course will be taught remotely via an interactive online classroom  
30 Credits, Level 4  
**IAT23A4740A**



# Law

Co-ordinating Lecturer: **Dr Sara Jones**  
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## Contract Law

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Jemma Cox

This course examines the creation of legally binding contracts and how a contract works in practice. Throughout the course, students will explore the elements that make up a legally valid contract; remedies available when a contractual obligation is breached, different types of misrepresentation and unfair contract terms. Students will reflect upon how these issues effect the parties to the contract. This course will be of interest to anyone who wants to improve their understanding about the contracts they enter into, whether that be in their personal life or in a work context.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LAW23A4509A**

## Criminal Law

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Mark Gorman

This course examines aspects of the Criminal Law, including murder, manslaughter, assault, theft, robbery, burglary, and criminal damages. Students will consider legal problems and apply relevant law to given situations.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 17 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LAW23A5123A**

**Everyone can enrol on our law courses.  
Each course can be studied on a  
standalone basis.**



## European Law

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Mark Gorman

If you are interested in European Law, or need to know its basic principles, then this is the module for you. You will examine relevant directives, regulations and case law from the European Court of Justice in order to make an informed and critical assessment of how European Law works in practice.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 31 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LAW23A1101A**

## The Legal System of England and Wales

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

### Mark Gorman

You will be introduced to major aspects of the English Legal System including its sources practices and procedures. You will gain a thorough understanding of judicial precedent, statutory interpretation, the jury system, Tribunals, Law Centres and Legal Aid.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**LAW23A5458A**



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# Law

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Whilst studying on the Pathway you will be able to make an application to study Law (M100).

## How it works

The Pathway is made up of 60 credits.

You can choose from any of the four modules listed in the law section or from the following three courses that can be found in this prospectus to make up 60 credits.

- **Contemporary Issues in Europe (page 48)**
- **Research Methods (page 64).**
- **The Political System in Wales (page 48)**



# Politics and International Relations

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## 1989: a Pivotal Year for Europe

Fee **£249.00** (Concessionary Fee **£199.00**)

### Dr Roel Van Der Velde

This module will introduce students to political, economic and social developments in central and eastern Europe during the late 1980s. You will explore the events that led to the collapse of communism in the region, and their legacy for contemporary Europe. This is a core module on the Pathway to International Relations and Politics. It is also open to all as a stand-alone module open to professionals in the field and the general public.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 2 October 2023**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PLT23A5482A**

## Introduction to International Relations

Fee **£249.00** (Concessionary Fee **£199.00**)

### Dr Roel Van Der Velde

International Relations (IR) is an exciting discipline which explores politics in the global and regional arenas. This module introduces students to key concepts and theories of IR, explores questions such as 'Why do wars happen?', and develops an understanding of the international system. This module is an optional 10 credit module on the Pathway to International Relations and Politics. It is also open to all as a stand-alone course.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 4 October 2023**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PLT23A5141A**

## Contemporary Issues in Europe

Fee **£249.00** (Concessionary Fee **£199.00**)

### Dr Roel Van Der Velde

This course casts a critical eye at contemporary Europe. In ten weeks, this module takes a view at Europe's current state of affairs, actors and environment. By discussing 9 major themes it offers a broad stock-taking of post-Cold War Europe, its people and its institutions, and its environment. This is a 10 credit module on the Pathway to a degree in International Relations and Politics. It is also open to all as a stand-alone course.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 29 January 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**PLT23A5483A**

## The Political System in Wales

Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee **£398.00**)

### Pauline Beesley

The **Political System in Wales** module will introduce students to the context and content of devolved policy making and political representation in Wales. It will explore the causes and consequences of the 2016 EU Referendum (Brexit) vote in Wales, the case for electoral reform and consider how legislation is made in the Senedd. This is a core module on the Pathway to International Relations and Politics. It is also open to all as a stand-alone course.

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:30**  
**plus 2 Saturday day school**  
**Starting 9 April 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
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20 Credits, Level 4  
**PLT23A5135A**

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## Pathways to a degree in

# International Relations and Politics

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We offer a Pathway which will allow you to study towards these degrees at Cardiff University.

- ▶ **International Relations and Politics (L290)**
- ▶ **International Relations (305Q)**
- ▶ **Politics (L200)**

There are no formal entry requirements. Should you progress on to a degree programme, you will be eligible for 'advanced standing' of 60 credits – this means that these 60 credits will count towards the first year of your degree.



**Students will need to enrol on the four modules listed in this section:**

- ▶ 1989: a Pivotal Year for Europe
- ▶ Introduction to International Relations
- ▶ Contemporary Issues in Europe
- ▶ The Political System in Wales

Plus the European Law module

## European Law

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Mark Gorman

If you are interested in European Law, or need to know its basic principles, then this is the module for you. You will examine relevant directives, regulations and case law from the European Court of Justice in order to make an informed and critical assessment of how European Law works in practice.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Wednesdays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 31 January 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**LAW23A1101A**

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# Science and Environment

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## Introduction to Human Biology



Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee **£398.00**)

### Cheryl Lannon

What is the human body composed of, and what do the various parts do? From skin and bones to the human immune system, this module aims to provide an introduction to how the body works. We will consider human physiology, the nervous system, the role of the heart, blood vessels and blood, lungs and the respiratory system, and much more. **This is a core module for the Pathway to Healthcare.**

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Tuesdays from 14:00 to 16:30**  
**plus 2 Saturday day schools**  
**Starting 12 September 2023**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5150A**

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Thursdays from 18:30 to 21:00**  
**plus 2 Saturday day schools**  
**Starting 14 September 2023**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5150B**

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Tuesdays from 14:00 to 16:30**  
**plus 2 Saturday day schools**  
**Starting 9 January 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5150C**

**12 weekly meetings**  
**Thursdays from 18:30 to 21:00**  
**plus 2 Saturday day schools**  
**Starting 11 January 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5150D**

## The Fruit Garden

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Michele Fitzsimmons

Learn how to design, create and maintain a low maintenance edible garden focussing on fruit trees, soft fruit and shade tolerant leafy plants. Based on permaculture principles, this Fruit Gardening course will take you through designing and drawing up plans for your garden and maintenance needs – including pruning, pest management and pollination.

**7 weekly meetings**  
**Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 28 September 2023**  
**Plus 2 garden visits**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 3  
**SCI23A3624A**

## The Modern British Garden: the interwar years

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Stephen Parker

The interwar years would become one of the most important and influential periods in the history of garden design; one which brought together art, artists, writers, architects and designers. We discuss this period full of creative energy which influenced a whole new generation of garden makers and artists.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00**  
**Starting 4 October 2023**

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5517A**

## Astronomy in Action

Fee **£165.00** (Concessionary Fee **£132.00**)

### Prof Paul Roche

This course covers topical areas of astronomy and space science, including recent advances in the study of planets, stars, galaxies and cosmology. Workshops will consist of a taught lecture component supplemented with hands-on and online activities. A mix of classroom based and online teaching.

**6 meetings**  
**10:00 to 13:00**  
**Saturdays 21 October, 18 November,**  
**16 December 2023, 20 January and 16 March 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 3  
**SCI23A5544A**



Photography: Stephen Parker

## The Formal Garden: structure and symmetry

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Stephen Parker

The formal garden continues to be a significant element of garden design and landscape architecture. From Italy on, we bring the history of formal gardens right up to date, with a discourse that runs counter to the dominant fashion for naturalism and wild planting. We consider designers and gardens that work within a rigid formality, where geometry is king and the Arts and Crafts and modern architectural inspiration abound.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00**  
**Starting 10 January 2024**

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5518A**



## Diseases and Disorders of the Brain



Fee **£249.00** (Concessionary Fee **£199.00**)

### Dr Bilal Malik

This course discusses the history, development and treatment of diseases and disorders of the brain including: Huntington's disease, Parkinson's disease and Alzheimer's disease. The approach adopted focuses on current research and developments relating to disorders of the brain and pays particular attention to the underlying molecular and genetic factors which are associated with these diseases.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Mondays from 18:30 to 20:30**  
**Starting 15 January 2024**

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5194A**

## Designing your Edible Garden

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Michele Fitzsimmons

This Edible Garden Design course will explore how to design a low maintenance food garden which is also a wildlife haven and a place of relaxation and beauty. Growing veg doesn't mean your garden needs to be an allotment! Learn how to design a garden that fits in with your lifestyle, your needs and desires.

**8 weekly meetings**  
**Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00**  
**Starting 7 March 2024**  
**Plus 2 garden visits**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 3  
**SCI23A3639A**



## Medical Imaging and the Human Body



Fee **£249.00** (Concessionary Fee **£199.00**)

### Tutor to be confirmed

Up until the 20th century, our understanding of human anatomy came largely from dissection. Beginning with a brief history of anatomy, we will examine how the application of x-ray, ultrasound, magnetic resonance and a range of other techniques allow us to construct different images, and so develop a more detailed and non-invasive understanding of the human body.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Thursdays from 17:00 to 19:00**  
**Starting 18 January 2024**

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A3968A**

## It's not all Country Life: the new urban garden

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Stephen Parker

Today, gardens are being created everywhere in a desire to make our cities more liveable. This strong shift from the country estate, so prevalent throughout garden history, to a more urban environment also connects to contemporary architecture and post-industrial development. From courtyards and rooftops, to parks and small green spaces - even vertical gardens and forests abound.

**10 weekly meetings**  
**Wednesdays from 10:00 to 12:00**  
**Starting 17 April 2024**

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 3  
**SCI23A5519A**





# Science in Health Public Lecture series (online)

Cardiff University's programme of **FREE** public lectures for those interested in how science relates to medicine and health.

Lecture titles to be announced and they will be run as monthly webinars between October and March.

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or email Karen Edwards at :

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Pathways to a degree in

# Medical Pharmacology

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Applicants wishing to enrol on the pathway will need 5 GCSEs, grade C or 4 and above. These must include Maths, English/Welsh (if you went to a Welsh-medium school) and Double Science (or Chemistry and another science subject). You must also have A Level Chemistry, grade B or above.

The modules that you will need to study are:

- ▶ **Introduction to Human Biology**
- ▶ **Medical Imaging and the Human Body**
- ▶ **Diseases and Disorders of the Brain**
- ▶ **Research Methods**
- ▶ **Social Psychology**

Details of these modules can be found in the Pathway to a degree in Healthcare section on page 56.





Pathways to a degree in

# Dental Hygiene

Pathways to a diploma in Dental Hygiene or a degree in Dental Therapy and Dental Hygiene

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Applicants need to have 5 GCSEs, grade A-C/9-4. This must include English Language/Welsh (if you went to a Welsh-medium school).

## Introduction to Human Biology



Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee **£398.00**)

### Cheryl Lannon

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#### 12 weekly meetings

**Tuesdays from 14:00 to 16:30**

**plus 2 Saturday day schools**

**Starting 12 September 2023**

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50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 4

**SCI23A5150A**

## Public Policy for Health



Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee **£398.00**)

### Pauline Beesley

This module will introduce students to policy-making in contemporary society, with a particular focus on public policy for health. The course will lay the foundations for an understanding of the policy-making process and how this can be theorised and conceptualised. Simple models of policy-making will be explored.

#### 12 weekly meetings

**Wednesdays from 18:30 to 21:00**

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## Education and Society



Fee **£498.00** (Concessionary Fee **£398.00**)

### Dr Rhiannon Morgan

This module will introduce you to the role of education in modern society. You will consider the structure and organisation of education and be presented with a selection and summary of key policy changes and their impacts.

#### 12 weekly meetings

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# Optometry

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Pathways Coordinator:  
**Dr Catherine Phelps**  
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Applicants will need 7 GCSEs, grades A-C/9-4. These should include double science, or physics and another science, mathematics and English or Welsh (if you went to a Welsh-medium school).

After studying the pathway you will be able to make an application to study Optometry with a Preliminary Year (MOptom) (B514).

## Introduction to Human Biology



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### Cheryl Lannon

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## Research Methods



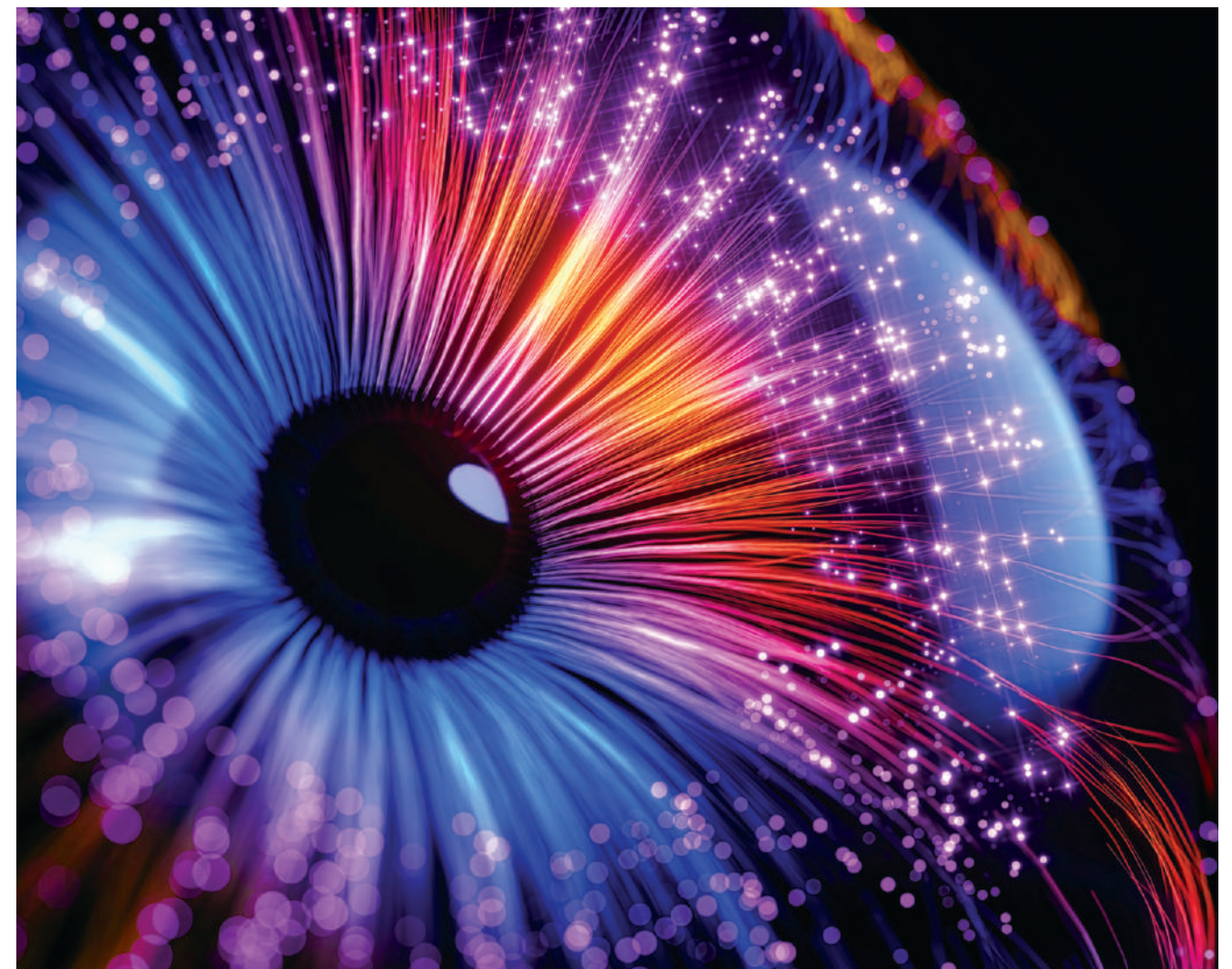
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**SCI23A3968A**

## Public Policy for Health



Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

### Pauline Beesley

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Details  
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For each pathway there are specific prerequisites. All pathways require you to have 5 GCSEs, grade C or 4 and above. These must include Maths and English/Welsh (if you went to a Welsh-medium school). Some pathways may require further qualifications.

After studying the pathway you will be able to make an application to study an undergraduate degree in these subject areas:

- ▶ adult nursing
- ▶ mental health nursing
- ▶ child nursing
- ▶ midwifery
- ▶ occupational therapy
- ▶ radiotherapy and oncology
- ▶ diagnostic radiography
- ▶ physiotherapy

## Core Modules

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**SCI23A5150B**

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**SCI23A5150C**

12 weekly meetings  
Thursdays from 18:30 to 21:00  
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Starting 11 January 2024

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## How it works

Two Core  
Modules  
40 credits

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Modules  
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Pathway to  
Healthcare  
60 credits

### CORE MODULES FOR ALL HEALTHCARE PATHWAYS

All students wishing to study on the Pathway to Healthcare will need to enrol on the CORE modules **Introduction to Human Biology** and **Public Policy for Health**. The optional modules will be listed under each discipline. Please contact **Dr Catherine Phelps** before you enrol on a Pathway to Healthcare on [pathways@cardiff.ac.uk](mailto:pathways@cardiff.ac.uk)



# Modules

	Medical Imaging and the Human Body	Diseases and Disorders of the Brain	Introduction to Social Science	Research Methods	Developmental Psychology	Abnormal Psychology
Adult Nursing			🎓			
Child Nursing				🎓	🎓	
Mental Health Nursing						🎓
Midwifery				🎓	🎓	
Occupational Therapy			🎓			
Diagnostic Radiography and Imaging	🎓	🎓				
Radiotherapy and Oncology	🎓	🎓				
Physiotherapy	🎓			🎓		

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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A3968A**

### Diseases and Disorders of the Brain

Fee £249.00 (Concessionary Fee £199.00)

**Dr Bilal Malik**

This course discusses the history, development and treatment of diseases and disorders of the brain including; Huntington's disease, Parkinson's disease and Alzheimer's disease. The approach adopted focuses on current research and developments relating to disorders of the brain and pays particular attention to the underlying molecular and genetic factors which are associated with these diseases.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 18:30 to 20:30  
Starting 15 January 2024

This course will be taught online

10 Credits, Level 4  
**SCI23A5194A**

### Introduction to Social Science

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

**Sikiya Adekanye**

Introduction to Social Science will focus your studies on contemporary society. We will look at the Media and how they impact on different groups in society; the changing cultures within our society; the participation and relationship society has to politics. Study skills will be a particular focus this term so that you are confident and ready to move on to the next course on your Pathway.

**12 weekly meetings**  
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20 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4968A**

**12 weekly meetings**  
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Starting 16 January 2024

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**SOC23A4968B**

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Mondays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A5260A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 29 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A5260B**

### Social Psychology

Fee £186.00 (Concessionary Fee £148.00)

**Azra Sadiq**

Social Psychology attempts to describe and explain the impetus behind our social interactions. This course provides an opportunity to explore the principles of social psychology and to give a reference point to understand behaviours we are familiar with.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**PSY23A5267A**

### Developmental Psychology

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**Dr Rhiannon Morgan**

What makes us the people we are? Babyhood, adolescence, adulthood and old age all present their challenges. There will be opportunities for discussion, observation and developing and improving study skills. This self-contained course is an ideal introduction to the subject area.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 3 October 2023

### Abnormal Psychology

Fee £371.00 (Concessionary Fee £297.00)

**Clare O'Connell**

In this double module you will have the opportunity to explore models of abnormality and implications for their treatment. Drawing on a range of perspectives within psychology, you will be encouraged to contrast, compare and challenge theories to understand a 'best fit' eclectic mix of evidence-based explanations of behaviour.

**20 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

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20 Credits, Level 4  
**PSY23A5265A**



## STUDENT TESTIMONIAL

# Felicity was inspired to study diagnostic radiotherapy



Felicity had studied Town Planning at university but after a period of treatment at hospital and discussions with the Radiology Team at her local hospital she decided that this was the career she wanted.

The classes are extremely thorough and informative and the tutor provides clear and concise information relevant to the topic being discussed each week in a really friendly and supportive atmosphere, which allowed me to thrive.

I could not have dreamt for a better course for an introduction to a career in healthcare with no previous scientific background. The staff are so enthusiastic about the subject and your learning, I would absolutely recommend this Pathway and would encourage others to enrol - you will not regret it!

Felicity will start her degree studies at Cardiff University in September 2023.



# Social Studies

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## Learning Counselling Skills

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Pauline Beesley

The course provides basic training in the use of counselling skills for use in a variety of work and personal situations. The focus is on improving your communication skills and raising personal self-awareness. It is not training to become a 'Counsellor' but can serve as a taster of what undertaking that training might be like. The course is experiential and very practical, students will have the opportunity to practice using counselling skills every week in small groups, combined with an introduction to counselling theory.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5099A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 17:00 to 19:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
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10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5099B**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 15 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5099C**

**10 weekly meetings**  
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10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5099D**

**10 weekly meetings**  
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Starting 15 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
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10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5099E**

## Counselling Skills in Practice

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Pauline Beesley

This follow-on course is only open to students who have successfully completed **Learning Counselling Skills**. The course will give you the opportunity to extend your understanding and ability to use counselling skills through exercises, role-plays and in writing your reflective journal.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
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10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5100A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 10:00 to 12:00  
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This course will be taught online  
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**COU23A5100B**

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10 Credits, Level 3  
**COU23A5100C**

## Mindfulness in Counselling

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

### Pauline Beesley

This module aims to build on skills already developed in basic counselling skills courses. Students will explore Mindfulness in Counselling as a contribution toward stress management and depression.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Mondays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 2 October 2023

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10 Credits, Level 3  
**SOC23A5545A**



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**PSY23A5266A**

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## Applying Criminological Theories

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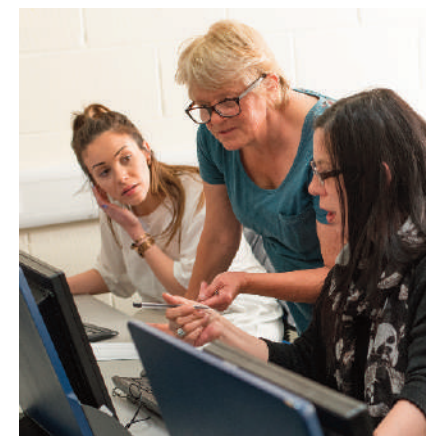
### Rhiannon Maniatt

Can we explain why crimes are committed? Are people born criminal? Do they learn to act in criminal ways? Do they choose to act in criminal ways? Do certain explanations of criminal behaviour fit certain crimes? This module will provide students with an understanding of key criminological theories which can be used to understand crimes and positives and negatives of these. It will then teach students about different crime types, and students will use real life case studies to apply these theories to crimes.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A5516A**



## Acceptance and Commitment Therapy I

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT) is an evidence-based therapy with a focus on values and mindfulness. It is an action-focussed, values-based approach toward meaningful living. Learners are introduced to the underpinning concepts of ACT and encouraged to engage in, and reflect on, their own experience of the model.

### Pauline Beesley

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4700A**

**Tutor to be confirmed**  
**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4700B**

**Tutor to be confirmed**  
**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 5 October 2023

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4700C**

**Tutor to be confirmed**  
**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00  
Starting 25 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4700D**

**Tutor to be confirmed**  
**10 weekly meetings**  
Thursdays from 10:00 to 12:00  
Starting 18 April 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4700E**

## Acceptance and Commitment Therapy II

Fee **£186.00** (Concessionary Fee **£148.00**)

ACT II develops and builds on many of the ideas from the first ACT course. We explore the use of metaphor, using ACT frameworks, to deepen our understanding. We consider the application of ACT concepts across a range of more specific contexts. ACT I is a pre-requisite for this course.

### Pauline Beesley

**10 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:00  
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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4815A**

### Pauline Beesley

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**SOC23A4815B**

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**SOC23A4815E**



Public Policy  
for Health

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**SOC23A5203A**

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**SOC23A5260A**

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Coaching and  
Mentoring

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## Dr Jo Smedley

Mentoring is used increasingly for supporting individuals achieve their goals in life. As a mentor you will develop your ability to establish rapport, develop listening skills and the ability to pick up and respond to issues raised by your mentee. Although highly practical, the course includes theory to support reflection and evaluation of mentoring practice.

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 16:00 to 18:00  
Starting 4 October 2023

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10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A5268A**

**10 weekly meetings**  
Wednesdays from 16:00 to 18:00  
Starting 31 January 2024

This course will be taught online  
10 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A5268B**



## Pathways to a degree in

## Social Science

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We offer a Pathway which will allow you to study towards these degrees at Cardiff University:

► Social Science (L301)

► Human and Social Sciences (58H2)

► Criminology (L370)

There are no formal entry requirements. Should you progress on to a degree programme, you will be eligible for 'advanced standing' of 60 credits – this means that these 60 credits will count towards the first year of your degree.

Introduction to  
Social Science

Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

## Sikiya Adekanye

Introduction to Social Science will focus your studies on contemporary society. We will look at the Media and how they impact on different groups in society; the changing cultures within our society; the participation and relationship society has to politics. Study skills will be a particular focus this term so that you are confident and ready to move on to the next course on your Pathway.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:30  
plus 2 Saturday day schools  
Starting 19 September 2023

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4968A**

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Starting 16 January 2024

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**SOC23A4968B**

## Social Policy



Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

## Dr Sara Jones

## Rhannon Maniatt

This module on the Pathway to Social Science will introduce issues of Social Policy. You will gain an understanding of important social policies which set up the Welfare State; and look at current policies which affect a range of topics including Health, Education, and Housing.

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Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:30  
plus 2 Saturday day schools  
Starting 16 January 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff

20 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4970A**







### Education and Society



Fee £498.00 (Concessionary Fee £398.00)

#### Dr Rhiannon Morgan

This module will introduce you to the role of education in modern society. You will consider the structure and organisation of education and be presented with a selection and summary of key policy changes and their impacts. The emphasis will be on developing your own understanding and critical analysis of the relationship between education and society and in this way, the module will provide a foundation for further studies on your Pathway.

**12 weekly meetings**  
Tuesdays from 17:00 to 19:30  
plus 2 Saturday day schools  
Starting 9 April 2024

Lifelong Learning,  
50-51 Park Place, Cardiff  
20 Credits, Level 4  
**SOC23A4969A**

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enhance your  
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### STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

## Sarah always wanted to study a degree in criminology



“ Sometimes all you need is the chance to achieve your dream. I have always had a interest in criminology and wanted the chance to study this subject as a degree, the Pathway to a degree in Social Science gave me the opportunity to work towards this goal.

My expectations of the course have been exceeded. I was not sure what it entailed at the start and I honestly thought it would be sort of boring stuff...that was quickly dispelled by the course tutors who are knowledgeable, engaging, relatable and fun. They put you at ease and draw out of you information you may have but never thought was related to the topic at hand. I am now confident to ask questions, any question because although the question may sound

silly or trivial in my mind, if I keep it to myself, I may lose out on learning something new plus maybe someone else may be struggling with the same question and feeling too shy to ask.

I do find myself thinking of how policies positively or negatively effect things in our everyday life in education, transportation, health or housing. It's interesting to know that whether or not am aware of it, there maybe a policy that is working for or against the community I live in or even my family and myself.

To other students considering this pathway I would say, I know you may have feelings of fear, anxiety or self-doubt, but just have courage and enrol. Don't live with the 'what-ifs'. My goal is to be and do the very best I can at every level



## Community Learning

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Twitter: @CU\_Outreach



Cardiff University offers adult learning in the community in collaboration with community partners, learning providers and other organisations. It provides flexible learning patterns and supports the people who have the ability to succeed by offering short level 3 courses.

## Community Learning

**Cardiff University delivers short community-based courses, accredited at Level 3 and flexibly delivered in locations around South East Wales.**

The courses are run in collaboration with a wide range of local organisations and other learning providers. Our partners play a vital role in ensuring the course content, structure and delivery meets local needs and interests. The courses are delivered by dedicated tutors experienced in working with students from a variety of backgrounds and with different learning experiences. Many of our students have progressed onto our 'CPE courses' or 'Pathways to a degree' courses. Some examples of the courses available in previous years include:

- ▶ Starting and Running a Successful Small Business
- ▶ Public Service Interpreting
- ▶ Child's Play
- ▶ Understanding Childhood

More information can be found on the website [www.cardiff.ac.uk/learn](http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/learn)

## Progression as a Mature Student

**Many Mature students use our courses as a springboard for further study. If you are considering studying for an undergraduate degree we can help you. We provide:**

- ▶ information and support for those wishing to progress to university
- ▶ a clearer understanding of the various routes into Higher Education
- ▶ an insight into university life as a mature student
- ▶ information on the range of support that is available and how to access various support services
- ▶ access to online resources to help you decide where and what to study.

We work closely with other academic schools in Cardiff University, other universities, local education colleges, community groups and advisors so can offer suggestions on who you need to talk to in order to move forward. Returning to study is a big step so the more help you receive early on the easier the transition will be.

Undergraduate Recruitment and Widening Participation Team: **029 2087 4455**



# ACCESSIBILITY FOR OUR STUDENTS

We strive to make your studies as comfortable and accessible as possible. If you need help accessing any of our buildings or advice on improving your learning experience please contact [disability@cardiff.ac.uk](mailto:disability@cardiff.ac.uk)



## Certificate of Continuing Education

Here are our Certificate of Continuing Education in alphabetical order. For more information, contact your Co-ordinating Lecturer or visit our website.

Arabic Language	Italian / Spanish	Natural History and the Environment
Astronomy	Language 3	Our Media, Our World
Business and Management Studies	Garden Studies	Philosophy
Chinese Language	Geology	Polish Language
Computer Studies	Greek Language	Portuguese Language
Creative Writing	Healthcare	Russian Language
English Literature	Historical Studies	Social Studies
Exploring the Past	Humanities	
French / German / Italian / Spanish Language 1	Humanities and Social Studies	
French / German / Italian / Spanish Language 2	Inside Narratives	
French / German /	International Relations and Politics	
	Japanese Language	
	Marine Studies	
	Music Studies	

## Why not keep in touch?

We have lots of ways that you can keep up-to-date with what's going on, be the first to know about our new courses, get invited to our free events and read our regular news items:

- *Subscribe to our email lists - [www.cardiff.ac.uk/learn/choices/subscribe/](http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/learn/choices/subscribe/)*
- *Find on us Facebook - [www.facebook.com/learncardiff](http://www.facebook.com/learncardiff)*
- *Follow us on Twitter @LearnCardiff*

# Enrolment Guide

## Enrol online

Search or browse our courses to find the course you are interested in enrolling on.

Please enrol online if you are paying full or concessionary fee by card. You can do this by clicking 'Enrol now' within your chosen course to launch the process.

Please note that in rare instances a course may fill up during the enrolment process. If this occurs a member of staff will contact you to arrange a refund or transfer to another course.

- Universal Credit
  - Income Support
  - Housing Benefit
  - Jobseekers Allowance
  - Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
  - Council Tax Reduction (does not include discounts and exemptions)
  - Working Tax Credit
  - State pension
  - Personal Independence Payment.
- They are also available to:
- Cardiff University staff and full-time Cardiff University students

When completing the application form:

- the course name for all courses in Continuing and Professional Development must be 'Certificate of Higher Education (LEARN)'. No other course will be accepted.
- please change the default loan amount to the total of your course fees.

More information can be found on our website.

## Financial Assistance Programme

Additional financial assistance may also be available from the University to students on low incomes who have no prior experience of Higher Education. For further information contact the Advice and Money Team by emailing [adviceandmoney@cardiff.ac.uk](mailto:adviceandmoney@cardiff.ac.uk)

## Enrol by email

You can also enrol on a course by downloading an enrolment form and returning it to us by email.

If you are applying for tuition fee funding through Student Finance Wales or the HEFCW Fee Waiver scheme, or would like to pay for your course in instalments then please download our enrolment guide and form (PDF).

Concessionary fees are not available if a sponsor (such as your employer or Student Finance Wales) is paying the fee.

Please contact us if you need further information.

## Fee Waiver Scheme

You may be eligible to have your course fees covered by the Higher Education Funding Council for Wales (HEFCW) if you are a carer, care leaver, have a disability, are from an ethnic minority group, live in an area with low participation in higher education, are in receipt of DWP benefits, or your parents do not hold a higher education qualification.

You must be studying no more than 20 credits per year and be resident in Wales. More information can be found on our website.

## Funding and paying for your learning

Find out if you are eligible for reduced course fees or to apply for a loan or grant towards your learning.

You can find course fees on the individual course pages.

## Concessionary fees

The concessionary fee is shown below the standard fee for each course. You will be asked to provide appropriate evidence of your entitlement when you apply for a course. Concessions are available to anyone receiving:

## Student Finance Wales

Students who study 30 credits or more in the year may apply to Student Finance Wales for a tuition fee loan to fund their learning. In some cases students may also be eligible for grants.

## Pay by instalment

For courses where the fee payable is over £380, payment can be made by two instalments (payment by instalment is not possible if you are enrolling online).

The first instalment will be £265 and is required once you have submitted an enrolment by email. You will then be advised of the due date and amount of the second instalment.

## Pay by invoice

If your employer (other than the University) is paying for the course and would prefer to pay by invoice they will need to provide a purchase order. This should be included in your application to the course. If you are unable to attach a purchase order, please contact us.